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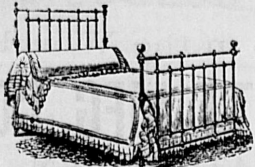
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Republican Caucuses.  
NOMINATION PAPERS.  
The Secretary of the Republican Ward and  
City Committee of Newton, will be at the office  
of the Committee, Room 1, Masonic Block, New-  
tonville.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 11, 1900,  
from 3 to 5 o'clock P. M. to receive nomination  
papers for the Republican caucuses to be held  
on Sept. 24th, 1900, at five o'clock P. M. in the  
respective wards. All nomination papers shall  
be filed with said Secretary at Room 1, Masonic  
Block, Newtonville, prior to 5 o'clock P. M. on  
Tuesday, September 11th, 1900.  
Last Wednesday was the ninetieth  
birthday of Mr. Wm. Cutler, father of Mr.  
N. P. Cutler, Monroe street. Mr. Cutler  
received on the occasion the congratulations  
and good wishes of his friends and relatives  
at his son's house. Mr. Cutler was formerly  
engaged in the retail dry goods business  
in Peabody, which he carried on for over  
30 years, but retired from active business  
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### NEWTON.

For other Newton items see page 3.

—Pianos, Farley, 433 Washington St. If  
—Mr. Thomas Weston of Franklin street  
has returned from Duxbury.  
—Hough & Jones, 245 Washington street,  
will paint your house nicely.  
—Mr. John T. Hemenway is ill this week  
at his home on Emerson street.  
—Mrs. Ernest Paine of William street  
has returned from Kingston, N. H.  
—William McDonald has been ill this  
week at his home on Boyd street.  
—Officer R. D. Conroy and family are  
spending their vacation at Greenfield.  
—George Agry and family of Park street  
are back from a sojourn in Amesbury.  
—Miss E. P. Craig of the Hollis returned  
Monday from a summer at Craigville.  
—Mrs. W. H. Graves of Carleton street  
has returned from New London, N. H.  
—Miss Keith of Watertown street re-  
turned Tuesday from a vacation outing.  
—Mr. E. J. Whiton of Church street has  
returned from a trip to North Falmouth.  
—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Sands and Miss  
Sands returned Saturday from Winthrop.  
—Mrs. E. P. Tuttle of Franklin street  
returned Wednesday from a stay in Maine.  
—H. H. Soule and family of Bellevue  
street returned Wednesday from Duxbury.  
—Be sure and attend the auction sale of  
furniture at 291 Washington street, Sat-  
urday night at 7.30.  
—Mr. Ralph W. Bartlett and family of  
Arlington street returned Saturday from a  
stay at the shore.  
—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. McAleer walked  
to the summit of Mt. Washington from  
the Glen, last Monday morning.  
—Wm. E. Pike, electrician and licensed gas  
fitter, The only electrician having a license  
in the city. Telephone 215, Newton, N. H.  
—Miss Jessie Fisher of Church street has  
returned from a two week's stay at the  
Lakeside House, New London, N. H.  
—Mr. Joseph L. Caverley and family of  
Jewett street returned Saturday from an  
extended sojourn in Pequaket, N. H.  
—Mrs. Benjamin Wetherbee of Charles-  
bank road is in Troy, N. Y. this week  
the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Pitt F. Parker.  
—Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Casey, who have  
been spending the summer at Magnolia,  
have gone on a tour of the great lakes.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Gallagher of  
Church street are receiving congratulations  
on the birth of a daughter last Monday.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Hoxley of Springfield  
were the guests the first of the week of  
Mrs. Charles E. Eddy of Franklin street.  
—Mr. and Mrs. John Alden and Mr.  
John T. Alden of Centre street returned  
Monday from a trip to Wonalagoct, N. H.  
—Miss May Morgan of Eliot place left  
Monday for Greenville, N. H., where she  
has secured a position in one of the schools.  
—Mr. John T. Lodge and family of Fair-  
mont avenue have returned from a several  
weeks' stay at the Lincoln House, Swamp-  
scott.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Gaston A. Scherer re-  
turned Monday from Hingham Centre and  
have resumed their home on Bellevue  
street.  
—Miss E. P. Thurston, who has been  
spending her vacation in New Hampshire,  
is again at her desk in the Newton Free  
Library.  
—Miss Sara W. Bassett of Newtonville  
avenue, assistant at the Newton Free  
Library, has returned from a visit to  
Hingham.  
—Mr. John E. Pressey of Washington  
street has returned from a stay at Shap-  
leigh, Me., where he was the guest of Mr.  
H. C. Hurd.  
—Mr. Loring L. Marshall of Willard  
street has returned from an extended cruise  
along the Maine coast in the forty foot  
cutter, "Wait".  
—A fine collection of some fifty Lowell  
engravings the property of the Library  
Art Club are on exhibition at the Newton  
Free Library.  
—Mr. John Farquhar of Sargent street  
and Mr. William B. Ely of Bellevue street  
left Friday for a two weeks' stay at Beth-  
lehem, N. H.  
—Miss Nan Mead, who has been the  
guest of her aunt, Miss Helen Mead of  
Thornton street, has returned to her home  
in Bridgton, Me.  
—Hon. and Mrs. W. H. Farber and Mr.  
and Mrs. Edward Burbeck of Centre street  
returned Wednesday from an outing at  
Brant Rock, Marshfield.  
—Mrs. Charles E. Eddy of Franklin  
street announces the engagement of her  
daughter, Miss Caroline S. Eddy, to Mr.  
Walter A. Hoxley of Springfield.  
—Dr. Bowen B. Smith, who has been  
the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
F. Bancroft Smith of Hovey street, has re-  
turned to his home in New York.  
—Mr. Stephen Moore of Hunnewell ave-  
nue joined Mrs. Moore at Colorado springs  
the last of the week. They are the guests  
of their son, Mr. Wallace Moore.  
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—Miss Rathbone of Richardson street  
has returned from a trip to Bristol Ferry,  
R. I.  
—Mrs. Thompson and family of Newton-  
ville avenue have returned from Friend-  
ship.  
—Mr. Charles Whittemore and family of  
Summit street returned this week from  
Onset.  
—Frank A. Barrows and family of  
Jefferson street have returned from Port-  
land, Me.  
—Hiram Simmons and wife of Copley  
street have returned from a ten days' vaca-  
tion trip.  
—F. W. Stearns and family of Park street  
return this week from their summer home  
at the shore.  
—A. Lawrence Edmonds of Centre street  
is registered at the Crawford House, White  
Mountains.  
—Miss C. E. Frost has opened The  
Vernon on Vernon street for the fall and  
winter season.  
—Mrs. Cruikshank and her daughter have  
returned to Newton and are residing on  
Centre street.  
—George C. Dunne and family of Boyd  
street are at their home after an outing  
at Cottage City.  
—Moses Emerson and wife of Billings  
park returned today from a trip to the  
White Mountains.  
—Mrs. Samuel L. Powers and her son  
have returned from their summer home in  
New Hampshire.  
—Mrs. O. F. Black of William street is in  
Troy, N. Y., this week the guest of P. F.  
Parker and wife.  
—Mr. George H. Burr and family have  
returned to this village and will spend the  
season at the Hollis.  
—Mitchell Wing and family of Hunne-  
well avenue will return this week from a  
stay in Sandwich.  
—Mrs. Henry and the Misses Henry of  
Sargent street have returned from a trip to  
the White Mountains.  
—William Dorson and wife of Richard-  
son street have returned from a vacation  
trip to Providence, R. I.  
—H. S. Crowell and family of Hunnewell  
avenue return this week from their sum-  
mer home at Woods Hole.  
—Kirk W. Hobart and family are occupy-  
ing their home on Sargent street after a  
sojourn at Holderness, N. H.  
—Fred H. Tucker and family of Church  
street have returned from their summer  
cottage at North Falmouth.  
—Hugh Campbell and family of Newton-  
tonville avenue returned Wednesday from  
an outing at Friendship, Me.  
—Frank H. Howes and family have re-  
turned from Annapolis and have opened  
their house on Park street.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Tucker and  
Miss Tucker of Church street have re-  
turned from an extended outing.  
—Benjamin I. Leeds and wife are at  
their home on Belmont street after a  
several weeks' stay in Rutland, Mass.  
—John C. Rochford, who has been quite  
ill at the hospital, has returned to his home  
on Baldwin street in much improved  
health.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Eleazer Kempshall and  
the Misses Kempshall of Durant street re-  
turned Tuesday after several weeks at Mt.  
Vernon, N. H.  
—Mr. Fred A. Hubbard was at Hampton  
Beach, N. H., this week attending the  
sessions of the New Hampshire Pharma-  
ceutical association.  
—Horace S. Crowell has purchased the  
E. W. Pope estate on Hunnewell avenue  
and will occupy after completing altera-  
tions and improvements.  
—Miss Minnie Grim of New York and  
Miss Etta Parker of Springfield, who were  
the guests of Mr. H. J. Marshman of Park  
street returned to Springfield Monday.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Alden A. Howe, Miss  
Howe and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moore of  
Wesley street have returned from an ex-  
tended visit to Sea View, Marshfield.  
—Services in Grace church on next Sun-  
day will be at 10.45 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.  
Strangers and visitors are always cordially  
welcomed whenever the church is open.  
—Newton children need not go into  
Boston this season for their school sup-  
plies. They can get anything in this line  
at the Newton Bazaar, 407 Centre street, and  
all at Boston prices.  
—John T. Burns has rented the Mansur  
house on Tremont street to Francis A.  
Dow, the new janitor of the Bigelow  
school, also the Otis house on Capitol street  
to Mrs. Lockwood of Lawrence.  
—A number of Newton friends of Mr.  
and Mrs. Charles Burgher returned Sat-  
urday to their home at Waltham, Satur-  
day evening and assisted them to celebrate  
their twentieth wedding anniversary.  
—At the Immanuel Baptist church next  
Sunday the church will be open for ser-  
vices and Rev. Frank B. Matthews will oc-  
cupy the pulpit. In the evening the special  
subject will be, "The Immorality of  
Riot," or "An Unchristian Spirit."  
—Rev. William H. Davis, D. D., pastor  
of Eliot church, returns today from an ex-  
tended stay at his summer home the "Bin-  
nack" in Harwichport, where he has been  
visiting the pupils of the Eliot church next  
Sunday and will conduct the communion  
service.  
—There is only one ladies hairdressing  
parlor in Newton and that is Mrs. L. P.  
Elliott-Anderson's. Here ladies desiring to  
prepare for parties, weddings or receptions  
can be served just as well as going to Bos-  
ton. Ladies can be waited on at their resi-  
dence if they desire.  
—At an adjourned meeting of the Massa-  
chusetts Horticultural Society held in Bos-  
ton Saturday, a suitable memorial of the  
late C. H. B. Breck was presented and ac-  
cepted. This will be entered on the  
records. Mr. Breck was for many years a  
valued member of the society.  
—The Sunday school of Grace church re-  
opened last Sunday morning. This school  
keeps up the old custom of meeting at 9.30  
in the morning. Mr. F. N. Robbins is the  
superintendent. The adult Bible class  
will begin its studies the first Sunday in  
October at 10 a. m. in the rectory's study.  
—The Bigelow and Underwood schools  
will open on Monday, Sept. 10. Grades IX  
and VIII will go to the High school build-  
ing; grades VII, VI and V to the new  
Adams; grades IV, III, II and I to the  
Underwood, and the kindergarten to the  
old bank building on Washington street.  
Cars will leave the square for Newtonville  
at 8.15 a. m.  
—Every summer there is considerable  
scooping at the closing of places of worship  
and the difficulty of finding ministers for  
visiting the sick, for funerals, etc. New-  
ton, this summer, has given very little  
ground for complaint on this score, for re-  
ligious privileges have been abundantly  
provided and people did not have far to go  
to find ministers or their substitutes on  
duty. The fact is that any one who comes  
to our city at any time finds the churches  
hospitality.

—Mrs. Manning and children of Jeff-  
erson street have returned from Ware.  
—Mr. Edward S. Worden of Pearl street  
has returned from Lake Dunmore, Vt.  
—Hon. G. D. Gilman of Baldwin street is  
entertaining friends from Plainfield, N. J.  
—Mrs. W. W. Wood of Pond avenue has  
returned from a visit to her son in Brock-  
ton.  
—Miss Alice Worcester Weeks is to sing  
at the Channing church on Sept. 9th and  
10th.  
—Miss A. Gertrude Ensign of Billings  
park has returned from an outing at Glou-  
cester.  
—Miss Mabel Hall of Elmwood street  
has been spending the week in North Fal-  
mouth.  
—Mr. William A. Wood of Pond avenue  
has returned from a three weeks' trip to  
Vermont.  
—Miss Nellie Grace returned yesterday to  
her duties at the postoffice after a ten days'  
vacation.  
—The Messrs. Curry of Carleton street  
have returned from a two weeks' trip to the  
provinces.  
—Mrs. John A. Evans of Brook street has  
returned from her summer cottage at  
Hough's Neck.  
—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Huxley have re-  
turned to the Hunnewell after a stay at  
Pemberton.  
—Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hardon of New  
York are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. T.  
Burr of Park street.  
—Mr. William F. Bacon and family of  
Hyde avenue returned yesterday from their  
summer home at Essex.  
—Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Wright and Miss  
Alice Wright of Jefferson street are spend-  
ing the week in Uxbridge.  
—Mr. Robert J. Hay has returned from  
the Quincy hospital, much improved from  
his recent bicycle accident.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sawyer of Belle-  
vue street have returned from a several  
months' tour through Europe.  
—Mr. Daniel Dewey and family of Park  
street have returned from their summer  
home in New Hampshire.  
—Miss Mary Lewis Spauld of Wesley  
street will resume instruction in Expre-  
ssion and Pianoforte, on October 1st. See  
adv.  
—Mr. Edward D. Conant and Miss Mabel  
E. Conant of Hunnewell Hill were regis-  
tered at the Grand Hotel, Rome, Italy,  
Aug. 25.  
—Mr. J. W. Davis of Centre street has  
gone to his summer home at Waterville,  
N. H., where he will spend the month with  
his family.  
—Messrs. William H. Partridge and  
Frank M. Forbush have been in Worcester  
this week attending the sessions of the Pro-  
hibition party.  
—Mr. Charles B. Fillebrown was among  
the guests present at the fifth annual re-  
union of the Bean Association, held in Bos-  
ton, Wednesday.  
—Mr. George M. Wright was in Worces-  
ter, Wednesday, attending the meeting of  
the district grand lodge of the Grand  
United Order of Odd Fellows.  
—Miss Alice F. Peirce returned on Wed-  
nesday from her summer vacation, and will  
make her home this winter at 29 Vernon  
street, resuming her teaching on Sept. 24th.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Warren F. Whittemore of  
Washington street have returned from  
Edgewood, R. I., where they were the  
guests of their daughter, Mrs. Elmer C.  
Mason.  
—Rev. Geo. R. Grosse of the M. E.  
church will return from Lewisburg, Va.,  
today, and take charge of the social  
service this evening, and occupy the pulpit  
on Sunday.  
—Loring L. Marshall, the photographer,  
whose studio is in the Stevens building, 263  
Washington street, returned the first of this  
week from his annual vacation which he  
has spent at Castine.  
—The Newton private school will reopen  
under the charge of Miss Mabel T. Hall,  
Monday, Sept. 10, in the Y. M. C. A. build-  
ing. Miss Spauld, Mrs. Howe and Miss  
Hart will conduct classes in the same  
studios as in former years.  
—The regular services will be resumed at  
Channing church next Sunday at 10.30 a.  
m. Rev. John Cuckson, formerly pastor of  
the Arlington Street Church, Boston, will  
occupy the pulpit. All are cordially in-  
vited.  
—Among the Clouds of Sept. 3 says:  
"John N. Eaton of Newton, who is  
stopping at the Jackson Falls House, made  
a quick trip to the summit yesterday. He  
left Jackson on his wheel at 5 a. m., left  
the wheel at Darby Field Cottage at 7 and  
climbed up Tuckerman's Ravine, arriving  
at the top at 10 o'clock. He returned by  
the carriage road."  
—Music in Grace church, Sunday night's  
Processional, "Alleluia! Sing to Jesus." J. B. Powell  
Magnificat. Roman Chant  
Noble Dimitris. Anthem, "If ye love me keep my command-  
ments." The "Immorality of Riot," or "An Unchristian Spirit."  
Retrospection, "O Happy Band of Pilgrims" Babinby  
Seats free.  
—At the last meeting of the board of  
directors of the Y. M. C. A., a new gen-  
eral secretary, Mr. Edward Lincoln of Med-  
ford, was chosen, who will assume the  
duties of his office Oct. 1st. In the mean-  
time the chairman of the different com-  
mittees will organize their work and arrange  
for a vigorous membership campaign. The  
work for boys under the leadership of Mr.  
E. O. Childs, Jr., is expected to take a still  
larger place in the plans of the association,  
though decided advances are expected in  
all the departments of the work.  
Wawbewas Again Hold Lawrence  
Trophy.  
The Lawrence Cannon Club \$100 trophy  
for mile race, single man, double blade,  
was again won for the Wawbewas Canoe  
Association at the Merrimac River Regatta  
held at Lawrence, Wednesday, Sept. 3th,  
by Mr. John B. May of Newton.  
A representative of the Wawbewas  
won this trophy in 1897, and again in '98  
it was kept in the Ass'n. by Mr. E. R.  
Adams of West Newton. In 1899 through  
a misunderstanding as to the date of the  
Regatta the Wawbewas were not represented,  
and the trophy was won by Mr. H. P.  
Poir of Lawrence, C. C.  
In addition to Mr. May's entry this year,  
entries were also received from Messrs.  
Poir, Caffrey and Allen of the L. C. C.  
When the race was called Messrs. Poir and  
Allen, considering that the pace promised  
to be too hot for them, withdrew their en-  
tries. The race between Messrs. May and  
Caffrey was one of the finest that has been  
seen in recent years for the trophy. May  
reached the turning stake scarcely a length  
ahead of Caffrey, this advantage he suc-  
cessfully held and crossed the line a win-  
ner about three canoe lengths.  
Mr. Caffrey is well known in rowing and  
canoeing circles and for several years held  
the National Championship in single sculls



## CITY GOVERNMENT.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN HOLDS SPECIAL SESSION WEDNESDAY EVENING AND DRAWS THREE JURORS—NO OTHER BUSINESS.

The special session of the board of aldermen, called for Wednesday evening, was an unusually short one as but few items of business, all of a routine nature, were transacted. For the first meeting since the long vacation, there was a large attendance of members, only two of the aldermen being absent.

The meeting was presided by the usual shaking of hands and expressions of good fellowship between the members, all of whom from appearances seemed to have enjoyed their long vacation from official duties and the burdens incidental to being a city father.

President Baily presided and after the calling of the meeting to order at 7:45 o'clock, the wheels of a formal session were once more set in motion.

The first business was the drawing of three jurors for the next session of the superior court to be held at Cambridge. The following names of those to serve as jurors were drawn:

John T. Lodge, Fairmont avenue, George M. Bridges, Walnut street, and Thomas J. Green, Raymond street.

Two orders, which annually make their appearance at this time, were then adopted. The first authorized the city clerk to find polling places for the caucuses for the political parties, and the second designated polling places in the several wards for the state and city elections to be held Nov. 6 and Dec. 11, respectively. There being no other business on the docket, the board adjourned at 8:15 o'clock till Sept. 10, when the first regular meeting will be held.

## THE SCHOOL BOARD.

WILL NEED \$192,765 TO CONDUCT NEWTON'S SCHOOLS DURING 1900-01 TERM—ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURES PRESENTED AT FIRST SESSION WEDNESDAY EVENING—LARGE AMOUNT OF OTHER IMPORTANT BUSINESS.

It was more than a half hour after the usual time of convening that the school board members began their first September session Wednesday evening. Not until 8:22 was Chairman Benner able to call the board to order. The chairman was willing to do so earlier but there was a quorum lacking until Alderman Baily, president of the board of aldermen, and consequently a member of the school board, had been summoned from City Hall.

These members, however, were present: Avery, Bacon, Baily, Benner, Dewey, Hardy, Howard and Luitweiler.

A communication was received from the city government notifying the board that \$9000 had been appropriated for furnishing the new Bigelow school under the school board's direction. The communication was received and placed on file.

Helen V. Mason was appointed an assistant in the Clifton school at a salary of \$800, and Helen E. Newell an assistant kindergarten at the Hyde school at a salary of \$300.

Chairman Hardy of the High school committee told of the problems that had been encountered by that body in its efforts to secure teachers to fill vacancies, etc. Mr. Irving O. Palmer, of the High school, had been offered \$2500 in salary with assurances of an increase. Mr. Hardy said he had conferred with the finance committee and they believed Mr. Palmer's present salary situation was the most equitable.

Evidently the entire board was of the same opinion for it was voted that Mr. Palmer be paid that rate of salary until January 1. Then it is for the new board to act upon the question.

Ernest E. Lewis was appointed a master in the High school at a salary of \$1400, and Emma H. Parker an assistant in the High school at a salary of \$950. Frances B. Lund was appointed a laboratory assistant in the High school at a salary of \$300.

To fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Jennie E. Ireson, Miss Mary G. Cannon was appointed to the High and grammar schools at a salary of \$1000. There was no written report offered by Supt. Field, but he said he had engaged competent substitutes to fill vacancies, temporary and otherwise.

The finance committee presented its estimate of expenditures for the school year of 1900-01, which calls for \$192,765, an increase of \$6940 over last year's figures, or about three and two tenths per cent.

The items as estimated were: Salaries, \$106,815; fuel, \$9,500; incidentals, \$1500; conveyance of pupils, \$450, and evening schools \$1000.

The superintendent was authorized to employ a stenographer at a salary of \$7 per week.

It was voted that boys of grammar grades 7, 8, and 9 be permitted to enterloyd classes for two years provided they are members of two of the three grades named above. It will be remembered that such action was suggested last May, as the belief was then expressed that grade 9 boys were being overcrowded with studies. This is thought to be a solution of the problem.

It was voted, on recommendation of the finance committee, to appropriate \$1901.37 for July school expenses; \$1452.67 for August school expenses, and \$252 from the special appropriation for the temporary location of Bigelow school pupils.

Parents of the Lincoln school district, in a long petition with many signatures, asked the board to remove an injustice existing in that district. The petitioners claimed that there was need of changing the western line in the Bigelow district that pupils of the Lincoln school might be permitted to enter the Bigelow building, when qualified. Under present conditions they cannot do so. The matter was referred to the committee of Wards 1 and 7 for consideration.

The resignation of Herbert J. Chase, a High school master, was accepted.

An order, which in substance provided that the school board, in view of the fact that rent of the Thompsonville school had been reduced from \$250 to \$100, employ a janitor and make necessary repairs about the building, and which further stated that the owners of the building, the Newton Centre Baptist church society, would keep the chapel window water tight, was referred to the finance committee.

The city government was requested to establish a kindergarten at the Peirce school building, West Newton, appropriating for the purpose \$350 for furnishings and \$225.75 for teachers.

An order for the establishment of a free drawing school at Newtonville, and a free evening school at Nonantum, was adopted. It was voted that the finance committee consider in connection with the budget as estimated, the advisability of providing pianos for each school, said pianos to cost no more than \$300.

The resignation of Blanche E. Henshaw, an assistant in the Hyde school, was accepted. These teachers were granted leaves of absence: Alice E. Wheeler, assistant in the Underwood, until December 1, without salary; Orissa M. Baxter, an assistant in the Hamilton, until January 1, without salary; Lucy M. Morrill, an assistant at the Wade school, until December 1, without salary; and Blanche A. Chadwick, an assistant in the Clifton, until November 5, with balance of salary.

An executive session, one of those so popular with the board, was held prior to adjournment, which came about 9:30.

## WILL HAVE NEW CHURCH.

PARISHIONERS OF ST. JOHN'S AT NEWTON LOWER FALLS HOPE TO WORSHIP IN THEIR REMODELED EDIFICE ON CHRISTMAS.

It is expected that within three months the members of St. John's parish at Newton Lower Falls will worship in their practically new church, now under course of construction.

Ground was broken for the edifice the 1st of last May, and it is the hope of Fr. Callanan, the pastor, to hold services in the completed structure on next Christmas day. The day for the dedication ceremony has not yet been decided on.

St. John's parish was set apart as a separate parish Nov. 20, 1890, and is therefore 10 years old next November.

The Rev. P. H. Callanan was transferred from St. Mary's parish, Foxboro, where he had built a church, and was made the first pastor of St. John's. The Catholic people of Lower Falls had little to boast of at that time except the beautiful location, secured years before, principally through the efforts of Daniel Warren and a few other old residents of the Falls.

On the arrival of Fr. Callanan in Lower Falls in November, 1890, only one mass was celebrated on Sundays and this was sufficient to accommodate the people at the time. Soon two masses were required. A pastoral residence was built, and also a stable. The church was improved at a cost of several thousand dollars, and the grounds were graded and beautified. In all, \$27,000 was expended in the parish improvements, and on Dec. 18, 1893, Fr. Callanan announced that the last dollar had been paid.

In Dec. 1897, Archbishop Williams assigned the Rev. Edward F. McLeod as assistant pastor to Fr. Callanan and since then both priests have worked hand in hand for the spiritual and temporal good of the people and the church.

Two years ago it became evident to the pastor that a larger church and one more in keeping with the beautiful location was needed. Plans were prepared by E. N. Boyden, architect, and submitted to Archbishop Williams for approval and the beautiful new church is well under way.

The church property represents an outlay of \$60,000 and of this amount the debt on the completion of the new church will not be more than \$12,000.

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## Picnic at Lower Falls.

There was the usual throng of thousands at Newton Lower Falls on Labor Day, the attraction being the annual field day given by the Rev. P. H. Callanan, pastor of St. John's parish. The various booths were in charge of Mrs. William Costello, Mrs. Bernard Early, Mrs. John McCourt, Mrs. David Noonan, Mrs. James A. Early, Mrs. Michael McCourt, Mrs. Michael Delaney, Miss Jennie Warren, Mrs. Wm. Taffie, Mrs. William Gleason, May Cunningham, Mrs. James Roberts, Mrs. Peter Madden, Mrs. William Manning, Mrs. J. J. Manning, Mrs. Michael O'Neil, Mrs. Andrew Allen, Mrs. Stover, Mrs. John Donovan and others.

One hundred-yard dash—Won by J. N. Carlstone, J. Favey second.

Forty-yard dash—Won by J. N. Carlstone, W. Madden second.

Two hundred and twenty-yard dash—Won by J. N. Carlstone, J. M. McGrath second.

Hop, step and jump—Won by J. Connolly, distance 45 ft. 1 in., S. Norris second.

Broad jump—Won by S. Norris, distance 18 ft. 4 in., James Smith second.

High jump—Won by J. Coady, distance 4 ft. 10 in., P. Burnett second.

In the evening the grounds were brilliantly illuminated with hundreds of paper lanterns and other decorations. A fireworks display brought the affair to a close.

## Editor's Awful Plight.

F. M. Higgins, Editor Seneca (Ill.) News, was afflicted for years with a pain that no doctor or remedy helped until he tried Backlen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world. He writes, two boxes wholly cured him. Infallible for Rheumatism, Gout, Neuralgia, etc. Sold by Arthur Hudson, druggist.

## Republican Caucuses Sept. 24.

The first sign of political activity in this city is the announcement sent out by the Republican Ward and City Committee, which says:

"The secretary of the Republican Ward and City Committee of Newton will line at the office of the committee, room 1, Masonic block, Newtonville, Tuesday, Sept. 11th, 1900, from 3 to 5 o'clock p. m., to receive nomination papers for the Republican caucus to be held on Sept. 24th, 1900, at 5 o'clock p. m., in the respective wards.

All nomination papers must be filed with said secretary at room 1, Masonic block, Newtonville, prior to 5 o'clock p. m., on Tuesday, Sept. 11th, 1900."

## Registration of Voters.

The board of registrars of voters will hold sessions in each ward prior to the Republican caucuses September 24, when an opportunity will be given for non-voters to register. It is said that the board decided upon this action at the earnest solicitation of the Republican ward and city committee.

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## Hose 6 House Warming.

The members of hose 6 company of Newton Lower Falls celebrated the formal opening of the new building on Grove street Tuesday evening.

A large company of guests were present, including Chief W. B. Randlett, assistant Chief Humphrey, foremen and members of the different companies throughout the city. Alderman Lyman, chairman of the fire committee of the city government, and Alderman Chesley of that body.

The entire building was thrown open for inspection and enlisted no little admiration. The visitors did not hesitate to express their approval of the up-to-date appointments and the general fine appearance of the building.

Later in the evening a collation was enjoyed. Capt. Hayden of hose 6 acted as toastmaster and there were speeches by the principal guests.

## PRESENTED PURSE.

RETURN OF NEWTON UPPER FALLS PASTOR SUBSTANTIALLY ACKNOWLEDGED BY PARISHIONERS—LAWN PARTY AND ENTERTAINMENT.

The annual lawn festival held under the auspices of St. Mary's parish at Newton Upper Falls was made an occasion of unusual interest last Monday. Rev. Fr. T. J. Danahy, who had been absent in Europe for four months, returned home upon that day and was heartily welcomed.

The members of St. Mary's church, with those of St. Joseph's, the mission at Needham, combined their efforts, and were gathered in large numbers. There was an abundance of entertainment provided throughout the day and evening. The lawn contained many prettily decorated booths, presided over by many ladies and gentlemen.

Early in the evening Mr. Charles Crowley of Needham made an address of welcome to Fr. Danahy, after which Mr. William Hopkins presented to him a purse containing \$1000. Fr. Danahy made an appreciative address.

An informal entertainment followed, while Fr. Danahy shook hands with his parishioners, who were cordial in their words of welcome.

During the afternoon there were athletic events, with the following results:

One hundred-yard dash, boys under 10 years—Won by Charles Maloney; Matthew Maloney second.

One hundred-yard dash, boys over 10 years—Won by William Osborne; William Holliday second.

Short race, boys under 14 years—Won by William Holliday; A. DuBois second.

Obstacle race for boys—Won by T. Galvin; William Holliday second.

One hundred-yard dash, free for all—Won by T. Galvin; W. Wilson second.

Three standing jumps—Won by John Harding; John Sullivan second. Distance 20 ft. 6 in.

Sack race—Won by W. Wilson; S. Wilson second.

Running race for girls—Won by Mary Sullivan; Marie McLean second.

Egg race for girls—Won by Nellie Murphy; Marie McLean second.

Three-legged race—Won by Wilson brothers; W. Holliday and James Gormley second.

## Endured Death's Agonies.

Only a roaring fire enabled J. M. Garrettson, of San Antonio, Tex., when attacked by Asthma, from which he suffered for years. He writes his misery was often so great that it seemed he endured the agonies of death; but Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, who cured him. This marvelous medicine is the only known cure for Asthma as well as Consumption, Coughs and Colds, and all Throat, Chest and Lung troubles. Price 30c and \$1.00. Sold by all druggists. Trial bottles free at Arthur Hudson's drug store.

## A Possible Wider Use of the Hospital.

To the Editor of the Graphic:

Those who have seen the plans for the new contagious wards of the hospital and can recall the discussion at the trustees' meeting, less than a year ago, how to pay the expense of putting some new shingles on the roofs of the old buildings—are quite sure that the world moves. It seems almost too good to be true that we are to have here in our city the finest facilities in the country for the care and treatment of contagious diseases. Our hospital which has always been doing pioneer work, steps to the front again and shows now what is best for relieving those who contract diseases requiring isolation and special care.

When the new wards are finished it will become almost a matter of course to send contagious cases there. There will be private rooms as well as public wards, and every provision for gaining that comfort and care which are impossible even in the most healthful homes.

But even this fine improvement will not exhaust the possible uses of the hospital. Attention has been called of late in a popular paper to the growing confidence in hospital treatment on the part of people who can pay for it. The time is coming when the dictum of common sense will be: "The best place to be sick is where they have the best facilities for taking care of sick people and that is the hospital."

It will not be long before the foolish notion that a hospital is only for very bad cases of disease or accident will be exploded, and people will go for a week's treatment even for a few days, paying their way as they do to a hotel.

With such a good time coming it becomes us here in Newton to keep that endowment rolling up, so that the financial question may never be bothersome. When Wills are made and Thank offerings are suggested be sure that the Newton hospital has a share.

I wonder if any one has ever considered the erection of a convalescent cottage on the hospital grounds? It would not cost much, but it would be a great blessing to many, who when they get through the hospital, and are discharged, are discharged as patients, are rather too weak to resume their work. Then, too, there are a number of people not sick enough to be sent to the hospital wards, but who might pay a moderate board in this annex, and be looked after and nursed back to strength. Who will give us a convalescent cottage? We have not yet reached the limits of usefulness of the hospital.

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## Newton Choral Association.

Applications for membership in the Newton Choral Association are now out, and plans for fall work are under consideration.

Mr. Everett E. Truette, of Boston, well known as an able leader and director, has been engaged by the Board of Directors, and will commence the rehearsals Oct. 1st, holding them on the second and fourth Monday evenings of each month.

Active members must pass a slight examination as to their vocal ability, and be recommended by the Membership Committee, after which a majority vote will elect them to membership. The annual fee for active members is \$2.00 per year, and such are entitled to four reserved seats at each concert.

Associated membership is limited to 100 persons who pay an annual fee of \$3.00, and receive five reserved seats tickets to each concert.

Applications and further information, may be obtained of the Treasurer and Manager, Mr. P. H. Robinson, 12 Channing street, Newton.

## Police Paragraphs.

It is reported that a suspicious man is going about the city trying the doors of vacant houses and causing no little consternation in certain neighborhoods. He is described as about fifty years old, 5 feet 8 inches tall and weighing 165 pounds. He has thick black hair and a full brown beard tinged with gray. He is of ministerial appearance. The same individual has been operating on similar lines in Brookline.

Patrolman John J. Davis of division 2 is described as one of the Boston Globe's strong men. He is credited with lifting the rear of hose 8 wagon, Nonantum, a dead weight of 850 pounds.

The activity of fruit thieves in many orchards led the police to take extra precautions last Sunday. Patrolmen in citizens' clothes at Chestnut Hill did much good work. Jacob Goldstein of 117 Pleasant street, Boston, and John Shaw of 267 Bolton street, South Boston, were arrested for trespassing. These men were both found guilty and fined \$5 each.

Two young men, who gave their names as John J. Powers and James J. Powers, and their residences as 65 Laurite avenue, and 60 Pine street, Boston, respectively, were arrested early Sunday morning while trying to force the lock of the money compartment of an automatic bicycle pump in Newtonville square. The young men were armed with a chisel, and had been at work on the machine for about 10 minutes when they were arrested by Patrolmen S. Burke and W. E. Fuller. In court Tuesday morning they were arraigned on a charge of attempted larceny and were each fined \$15.

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## Labor Day Golf.

The Highlands Golf Club of Newton Highlands had a large number of players out on its new course off Woodward street, Monday, where several events were held during the morning. The first of these was a driving contest, from tee 1, which was won by H. C. Johnson, with 186 yards 7 inches.

This was followed by a members' handicap tournament of 18 holes, with prizes for the best gross and net scores. The gross score prize was won by W. J. Sweetzer, with 101. The net prize was won by J. E. Atwood, 93. A women's handicap event of nine holes was won by Mrs. C. M. Bague, scratch, with a gross score of 62. The best net score of 50 was made by Miss Virginia Mellen.

There was a holiday handicap, 18 holes, medal play, with about twenty entries, at the Newton Golf Club on Labor Day. The prizes for best gross and net scores were won by H. W. Smalley, with 87-6-81.

At the Newton Centre Golf Club there was an all-day cup tournament with 30 entries. As this was the first time the members had played over the new permanent course, the scores were rather high.

The Brae Burn Club of West Newton held a contest for a holiday cup. Although there were about 40 entries on the course, a few only entered into the contest.

On the Woodland Golf Club links Monday afternoon in the holiday tournament, S. Schuchman, 1st round, playing from scratch, his score being 92.

## Fixtures of Brae Burn Golf Club.

The tournament committee of the Brae Burn Golf Club has sent out a schedule of fall fixtures.

Prominent among these is the club's invitation tournament, to be held on Sept. 25th, and the match between Vardon and Nicholls Oct. 13. The program follows:

Sept. 8, handicap foursome, medal play, 18 holes, to be played as men's, women's and mixed; 15, handicap bogey, 18 holes; 22, handicap foursome, medal play, 18 holes, to be played as men's, women's and mixed; 25th, invitation tournament; 29, medal play, 27 holes, scratch; Oct. 1, opening play for October cup, medal play, handicap; 1, 2, 3, qualification for women's championship, 18 holes, medal play, scratch; 4, 5, 6, qualification round for Founders' cup, representing Brae Burn club championship, 18 holes, medal play, scratch; 6, bogey handicap; 8, 12, first round for Founders' cup and first round for women's cup; 13, Harry Vardon vs. Bernard Nicholls, 36 hole match; 15, 20, semi-finals for Founders' cup; 15-19, semi-finals for women's cup; 20, medal play, handicap foursomes, 18 holes; 22-27, finals for Founders' cup; 22-26, finals for women's cup; Nov. 1, opening play for November cup; 3, bogey handicap, 18 holes; 10, medal play, handicap, 18 holes; 17, 18, bogey handicap, 18 holes; 24, medal play, handicap foursomes, 18 holes; 29, Holiday cup.

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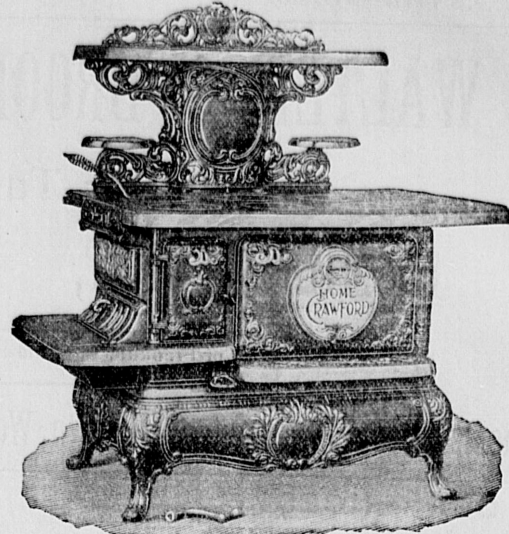
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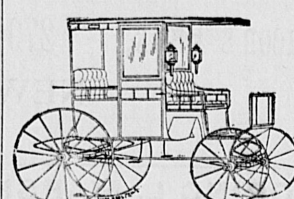
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## NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

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—Officer A. M. Fuller has been enjoying a vacation at Livermore Falls.

—The Ladies' Circle of the M. E. church are making some repairs at the parsonage.

—Miss Ida Hutton of Linden street is visiting Mrs. Frisbie of Kittery Point, Me.

—Mrs. J. E. Thorne and her son, Aubrey, returned Tuesday from a six weeks' visit at Yarmouth, N. S.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thompson of Boylston street are spending two weeks at the Thousand Islands.

—Mrs. Geo. W. Avery of Pennsylvania avenue is entertaining Mrs. Peterson, formerly of this village.

—The Quincebequin Association and invited guests had a delightful excursion to Bath last Sunday and Monday.

—Rev. J. P. West, pastor of the Methodist church, has returned from the Province, where he spent a few weeks.

—Rev. H. Alonzo Sherman and wife left today for a three weeks' visit at Portland, Me., where they will be the guests of Mrs. Sherman's parents.

—Mr. R. P. Snelling, treasurer of the Saco & Petee Machine works, returned last Saturday from his trip abroad and with his bride will reside in Dedham.

## WABAN.

—The Saville boys have arrived home from camp.

—Mrs. Webster and children are at Seaside for a few weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Scarborough and son have returned from Penobscot.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Davidson have returned after several weeks at the Rangeley Lakes.

—Mr. C. A. Smith of Nehoiden road has had a critical illness the past week, but is around again.

—The Rev. Mr. Williams has returned from his summer vacation and again taken up his pastoral work.

—Master Howard Lamkin of Mr. Williams' school, is at the Newton hospital, suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Clark and family took their departure Monday for Exeter, N. H., where Mr. Clark will act as private tutor.

—Many of the streets of this village are now in good condition. Foreman Gates and the city men have been at work on them the past week.

—Mrs. Saville and Mrs. Davidson of Windsor road, gave a pleasant "at home" on Mrs. Saville's lawn, last Friday, for Mrs. C. H. Clark, who is to leave Waban permanently, much to the regret of her friends here.

—Mr. S. R. Reading left Monday for his new southern home in Virginia. He was accompanied by his wife, who will travel with him as far as Norfolk, where she will remain. Mr. Reading makes this change of residence solely on account of his health. Mrs. Reading will remain here this winter.

## Fleming-Bosson.

Miss Marion C. Bosson, daughter of Mr. William B. Bosson of 139 Mt. Vernon street, Newtonville, was married to Mr. Samuel N. Fleming of West Newton, Tuesday noon, at her father's home. Only a small company, made up of relatives and immediate friends, witnessed the ceremony which was performed in the pretty decorated parlors, Rev. F. E. Hamilton, formerly of Newtonville but now of Boston, officiating. A wedding breakfast followed after which Mr. and Mrs. Fleming left on a wedding tour. They will return to this city to make their home.

## Locke-Trotter.

The Washington Park, Newtonville, Universalist church contained a large company of the younger society folk, Wednesday evening at the wedding of Miss Grace Trotter and Mr. Oscar J. Locke, both of Newtonville.

The interior of the edifice was greatly beautified by a profusion of floral decorations on a background of palms and potted plants.

The ceremony was performed shortly after 7 P. M. by Rev. Samuel G. Dunham, pastor of the church, officiating.

The bride's only attendant was Miss Louise A. Munster of Waltham, who was maid of honor. The best man was Mr. Harry S. Wells of West Newton. The ushers were Mr. William W. Wells of West Newton, Mr. Howard Besediet of Boston, Mr. Willis Griffith of Medford, Mr. August Munster of Waltham and Mr. Edward T. Trotter, brother of the bride.

The bride wore a becoming gown of white silk muslin, over tulle, trimmed with valenciennes lace. She carried a spray of sweet peas.

Miss Munster, maid of honor, wore white muslin over blue. Her flowers were white roses.

There was no reception and immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Locke left on a wedding tour. They will make their home at 14 Charlesbank road, Newton, and be at home Wednesdays in November.

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## NEWTON.

—Mr. Clark Hood has returned to Colorado springs.

—Mr. Harold Travis left Friday for a stay at Mt. Vernon, Me.

—Mrs. W. R. Dimock of Orchard street has returned from Nova Scotia.

—Mr. William J. Irving of the postoffice is enjoying his annual vacation.

—Mr. John Flood of Washington street is back from a trip to Nantucket.

—Mr. Byron Stone and family of Hunnewell hill have moved to Cambridge.

—Miss Louise Banks of Elmwood street returned Saturday from Deer Isle, Me.

—M. J. Nolan of Gardner street is moving into the Pingree house on Avon place.

—Dr. Arthur Hudson is enjoying his annual shooting trip to North Falmouth.

—Mr. C. S. Spencer has been ill the past week at his home on Hunnewell avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Hegan of Morse street have returned from Point Allerton.

—The Misses Blackwell of Thornton street have returned from Meredith, N. H.

—Miss Minnie L. Conlidge of Charlesbank road has returned from Castine, Me.

—Miss Elizabeth Farrell returns this week from a vacation trip to Jefferson, N. H.

—Dr. and Mrs. James Utley of Centre street have returned from Princeton, Mass.

—Mr. Fred H. Tucker and family of Church street have returned from Chatham.

—Mrs. H. A. Cleveland of Waverley avenue returns this week from North Conway.

—Mrs. J. S. Potter and Miss Emily Potter of Walnut park returned Friday from the shore.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Stone of Bellevue street returned Saturday from a stay at the shore.

—Miss G. P. Cleveland of Newtonville avenue has returned from her vacation in Maine.

—Miss Sara Smith, the milliner, has returned from a visit with friends at Hyannisport.

—John Burns has rented the Oils house on Capitol street to Mrs. Rockford of Salem.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Capelle of Church street have returned from a vacation in Maine.

—Mr. Lon K. Pressey of Washington street has returned from a vacation in Maine.

—Mr. James R. Townsend and family of Carleton street have returned from Belfast, Me.

—Miss C. L. Shirley of Centre street is expected home this week from Whitingham, Vt.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Mars of Oakland street, returned Monday from Brooklyn, N. Y.

—The Misses Howes of Fairmont avenue have returned from an extended stay at the shore.

—Dr. Carl and family of Boston have moved into the Simpson house on Washington street.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Tower of Newtonville avenue are enjoying a trip through Nova Scotia.

—Mr. Charles Corse of Washington street has returned from a trip to New Haven, Conn.

—Mr. Samuel H. Uhler of Eldredge street has been spending the week at Marblehead Neck.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Atwood will move from Park street to the Charlton on Washington street.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Leonard of Maple avenue have returned from a few days' stay at Hamilton.

—Mr. Albert G. Barber and family are moving back to Newton and will reside on Carleton street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis of Washington street have returned after a three months' absence.

—Mr. William Hopkinson of Boyd street has returned from a visit to friends in Paradise, N. S.

—Mr. Burdett P. Mansfield of Newtonville avenue has returned from a stay at Friendship, Me.

—Mr. J. Edward Hills and family of Franklin street, returned Saturday from a vacation in Maine.

—Mr. Richard U. Clark, Jr., and family of Barnes road have returned from an outing in Winthrop.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Lapham have opened their residence on Billings park after a vacation absence.

—The Misses Emily and Mabel Dyer of Newtonville avenue have returned from Friendship, Maine.

—Dr. George A. Warren of Centre street returned Wednesday from a two weeks' stay at Annisquam.

—Mr. George S. Bullens and Miss Bullens of Waverley avenue have returned from Deer Isle, Me.

—The Misses Curtis of Eldredge street have returned from a visit with relatives at Bridgeport, Conn.

—Dr. Robert A. Reid of Hyde avenue returned Tuesday from a month's outing at North Scituate.

—Mr. Frank Tole of Hubbard's drug store has returned from a two weeks' trip through Nova Scotia.

—Mr. John B. Canfield of School street has returned from a several weeks' trip through the West.

—Mr. C. F. Gilman and family of Elmwood street, return today from Hillsboro Upper Village, N. H.

—Miss Hattie Fletcher of Newtonville avenue is spending a few weeks with friends at Winsor, N. S.

—Dr. Albert B. Jewett and family of Hunnewell avenue have returned from a month's outing at Quisset.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Goodman of Newtonville avenue have been enjoying a few weeks at Osterville.

—Mr. Edwin Rogers and family return this week to their home on Waverley avenue after a stay at the shore.

—Miss S. Maude Bush will be in charge of the young people's meeting at Eliot church, next Sunday evening.

—Mr. Francis C. Pitman and Mr. Arthur S. Pitman of Peabody street have returned from a few weeks in Winthrop.

—Miss Leslie Kendal and her brother Kenneth Kendal of Vernon street, have returned from Point Allerton.

—Mr. Charles F. Wood of Jewett street is back from Sanapee, N. H., where he was a guest at the Ben Mere Inn.

—Mrs. Henry Brooks and Miss Brooks of Sargent street returned Saturday from a several weeks' vacation outing.

—Mrs. J. J. Morrissey and her sisters, the Misses Mary and Annie Morrissey, have returned from Jefferson, N. H.

—Mr. Jasper N. Keller and his son, Ralph Keller of Park street leave today for a shooting trip in the Maine woods.

## AUBURNDALE.

—Mr. Edward Walsh is enjoying two weeks in Portland, Me.

—Mr. F. W. Holt of Auburn street has returned from Concord, N. H.

—Mr. Joseph Melody of Auburn street has returned from Derry, N. H.

—Mrs. Huestis and Miss Ruth Huestis of Winona street returned Friday.

—Mrs. Amanda W. Burr of Auburn street is at Edgartown this week.

—Rev. Calvin Cutler of Fern street has returned from New Ipswich, N. H.

—Rev. John Matteson, who has been out of town during the summer, is at home.

—Mrs. Fred Johnson and family of Wood and road are back from York beach, Me.

—Dr. Wilbur F. Hall of Central street returned last week from a trip to Baltimore.

—Miss Bessie Lowe of Lexington street has returned from a vacation in Greenfield.

—Mr. John Milton Burr of Auburn street is enjoying fishing in Newfound Lake, N. H.

—Mr. J. P. B. Fiske and family of Central street are spending their vacation in Essex.

—Miss Crane and Miss Farrington of Maple street have returned from Vermont.

—Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Worth of Central street returned Saturday from Cottage City.

—Mrs. W. E. Thayer and her son Harley are visiting relatives in South Weymouth.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Johnson of Studio road have returned from Newcastle, N. H.

—Mrs. Hill of Commonwealth avenue has returned from a short stay in Sutton, Mass.

—Mr. Charles H. Van Note has been away the past week on a trip to Philadelphia.

—Mr. Chandler of Auburndale avenue has been entertaining relatives the past week.

—Mr. P. P. Evans and family have removed from Watowna street to Laseil street.

—Mr. Harold Conkey of Ash street left Saturday for a vacation in Ware and nearby points.

—Rev. and Mrs. Charles M. Southgate of Grove street returned Saturday from a stay at Minot.

—Mr. and Mrs. James E. Underwood of Maple street returned Tuesday from Providence, R. I.

—Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Charles W. Gallagher of Woodland road have returned from Cottage City.

—Mr. W. H. Cooley and family of Central street have returned from a stay in New Hampshire.

—Mr. I. S. Dillingham and family of Woodland road have returned after a month's absence.

—Mrs. Alice Peloubet Norton, who is at her old home on Woodland road, leaves soon for Chicago.

—Mrs. Freeman and Miss Freeman of Grove street are in New Hampshire for a few weeks' stay.

—Mr. Charles H. Johnson and family of Grove street returned Tuesday from their summer home at Essex.

—Miss Alice Kanlett of Central street has returned from a few days' outing in Portsmouth, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wiggins and Mr. Walter Wiggins of Bourne street have returned from Derry, N. H.

—Mr. S. B. Bell and family of Natick moved Monday into the new Estabrook house on Charles street.

—Miss Max Crossley, who has been in town, the guest of friends, left yesterday for her home in Passaic, N. J.

—Mr. R. W. Denn



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## THE SCHOOLS.

The school year of 1900-01 begins next  
Monday with all the school buildings in  
excellent condition, thanks to the liberal  
appropriations of the Board of Aldermen  
and its wise expenditure by Public Build-  
ings Commissioner Elder.The residents of Newton Highlands re-  
joice in the fact that the objectionable  
Fuller-Warren system of plumbing has  
been superseded by modern sanitaries, con-  
nected with the sewer.The capacity of the Waban schoolhouse  
has been doubled by the completion of two  
rooms on the second floor, and allowing  
much needed room for the several classes  
now taught in the building.The walls of the corridors at the High  
school have been painted, and now make a  
suitable background for the art collection  
exhibited there.The walls of the Rice, Davis, new and  
old Adams schoolhouses have also been  
gilded and varnished.Wet cellars at the Oak Hill school have  
been obviated by raising the building and  
cellar bottom some two feet, and providing  
suitable drainage.The usual repairs have been made on the  
plumbing and heating apparatus of all  
school buildings.It is unfortunate that the new Bigelow  
school will not be ready for occupancy at  
the beginning of the school year, but un-  
avoidable delays have occurred on the  
work, and Commissioner Elder now hopes  
to have the building ready about October  
first. Good progress is being made,  
however, the floors are going in, and work  
on the grading will begin next week. Ar-  
rangements have been made to teach the  
children in the new Adams and High  
schoolhouses until the new building is  
ready for use.The parents in the Bigelow district are  
awaiting the experiment of a one session  
day with considerable doubt as to its ad-  
visability, particularly where children in  
the primary classes are concerned. It  
would seem that a continuous school at-  
tendance of nearly five hours will be a con-  
siderable strain upon the nervous strength  
of young children. It is to be hoped that  
the one session idea will not be extended to  
other school districts until its excellence  
has been undoubtedly substantiated by a  
sufficient trial in the Bigelow district.

## MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

The Board of Aldermen resumes its  
regular sessions next Monday evening and  
will find matters of considerable impor-  
tance awaiting action at that time.The finance committee has been instruct-  
ed to report upon the disposition to be  
made of the \$90,000 to be received from the  
sale of the old reservoir to the Metro-  
politan Water Board and its recommenda-  
tion will undoubtedly be of interest. It  
seems surprising that there should be any  
controversy whatever, over such a simple  
proposition. The reservoir was built from  
the proceeds of bonds issued under special  
legislative authority for water supply pur-  
poses, and it seems perfectly proper that  
the sale of any part of the plant should be  
credited to the water construction ac-  
count, especially as that account has a  
deficit of several thousand dollars, at the  
present time, and a new issue of water  
bonds is otherwise imperative. A credit of  
\$90,000 to the water department would  
make a balance on the right side for about  
two years, and the city would avoid the  
sinking fund and interest charges on a  
further issue of bonds. The only objection  
argued against this proposition is that the  
work of the water department is now so  
small that a large credit is not needed.This objection carries with it the idea  
that the funds of this department are cared  
for in a special strong box by City Treas-  
urer Bankitt, and only used for water pur-  
poses. As a matter of fact, the credit is a  
bookkeeping item only and the cash once in  
the treasury is used for city expenses of all  
kinds.

Another matter of importance, requiring

immediate attention is the need of an addi-  
tional appropriation for the construction of  
the new contagious wards at the Newton  
Hospital. The first appropriation of \$35,000  
was based on rough estimates made prior  
to completion of the specifications before  
the Aldermen adjourned for the summer.  
Actual proposals, however, make it appar-  
ent that at least \$45,000 will be needed to  
fully complete the work. An alternative  
proposition to erect the administration  
building and one wing at an expense of  
about \$30,000 may be adopted.Immediate action is required as these  
buildings are urgently needed, the cases of  
contagious diseases being more frequent in  
the winter season.THE recent speech made by Mr. S. L.  
Powers before the Jamaica Club of Ward  
23 was a masterly effort and fully deserves  
the unstinted praise it has received. We  
are used to hearing able speeches from Mr.  
Powers, and when the rest of the Eleventh  
Congressional District has heard him for a  
few times, it will agree with us that our  
townsman is the right man to send to  
Washington. The point made by Mr.  
Powers, that his competitor, Hon. Fred H.  
Williams of Brookline, is assuming an atti-  
tude, similar to what would be expected  
from a Democratic opponent on election  
day, is well taken, and the position of the  
Republican party in case Mr. Williams  
should, by some miracle, receive the nomi-  
nation, would be an unenviable one.THE friends of the civil service should  
keep a careful watch to prevent the nomi-  
nation and election of candidates for the  
House and Senate, who are not in sym-  
pathy with the movement. An organized  
effort is to be made by a small coterie of  
Republican spellmen to obtain control of  
the next General Court in order to repeal  
or cripple the present law. From a person-  
al experience with the practical workings  
of the law, we know that in this city at  
least, it has improved the standard of pub-  
lic service, and that any attempt to cur-  
tail its usefulness should be effectively dis-  
courage.The working of the new caucus law  
when delegates were chosen last April, pre-  
liminary to the Philadelphia convention, ex-  
cited so much unfavorable comment, with a  
light vote of only 130, that there is consid-  
erable curiosity throughout the city as to its  
operation on Sept. 24th. If the present  
feeling continues until Nov. 15, 1900, when  
the statutory limit prohibiting repeal will  
expire, there is no doubt but what immedi-  
ate steps will be taken to return to the old  
method.The friends of Alderman E. W. Warren  
of Newton Highlands have received his  
consent to stand for the Legislature this  
fall. With Mr. Warren's fine record as a  
member of the city government for the  
last few years, and a united delegation  
from the south side, his nomination is al-  
most assured.WE are grateful to Brother Pratt of the  
Journal for his kind words regarding the  
recent changes in the management of this  
paper.

## PUBLISHERS NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that all outstand-  
ing accounts, due to Mr. E. D. Baldwin,  
late publisher of the Newton GRAPHIC,  
have been assigned to and are payable at  
the office of the Newton GRAPHIC Publish-  
ing Company, 16 Centre Place.

## CITY HALL NOTES.

Mayor Wilson spent a few days at the  
Deer Park Hotel, No. Woodstock, N. H.,  
last week.The Street Department reports that the  
improvement of North street is nearly com-  
pleted, fifteen feet of road bed being  
covered with four inches of macadam, with  
gravel shoulders.Work on Grove street is rapidly pro-  
gressing, the grade at the top of the Lower  
Falls hill is being cut, and after the water  
pipe is lowered the surfacing will be soon  
completed.—Work on the Desmond drain near Jack-  
son street will begin next week.Mrs. Alice E. Wright of the City Treas-  
urer's office has returned from a vacation.Miss Lucy A. Jennison of the City  
Engineer's office is home again after an  
outing in New Hampshire.Miss Mary E. Smith has resumed her  
duties in the Assessor's office after an out-  
ing at Nantasket.Miss Ella F. Olmstead is temporarily in  
charge of the office of the Street Depart-  
ment.City Engineer Farnham is engaged upon  
the plans for widening of Walnut, Crafts  
and Waltham streets, made necessary by  
the location of tracks by the Newton Street  
Railway Company, who are to bear the  
entire expense of the work. The rails are  
now being delivered along the line of the  
proposed new road.Mr. Harry A. Stone, Agent of the Board  
of Health, has recovered from an attack of  
diphtheria.Mr. Chas. A. Miner and wife are at Five  
Islands, Me., for a vacation of a few  
weeks.

## WHIST NOTES.

Fall play at the Boston Duplicate Whist  
Club, Room 18, Boylston building, begins  
on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 15, and will  
continue on Saturday afternoons and Tues-  
day evenings throughout the season. Play  
begins at 7:30 o'clock on Saturday after-  
noons and at 7:30 o'clock on Tuesday even-  
ings. Visitors are cordially welcomed.An invitation tournament for the benefit  
of the New England Whist association, of  
which Mr. Fisher Ames of West Newton  
is president, will be held at the rooms of  
the American Whist club, 173 A Tremont  
street, Boston, on Saturday afternoons and  
evenings, Oct. 6, 13, 20 and Nov. 3, play  
beginning at 2 and 7:30 o'clock p. m. Mem-  
bers of the association and their friends may  
participate in the tournament, the entries  
being limited to 100. Attractive souvenirs  
will be awarded the pairs making the  
highest trick score, North-South and East-  
West, in each event, and valuable prizes  
are offered for the winners of the finals on  
Nov. 3rd. The entry fee is \$1.00 for in-  
dividual events or \$5.00 for the entire  
series. Mr. F. G. Glavin of Elmwood street  
originated the scheme, and is chairman  
of the Committee on Arrangements.  
Mr. W. E. Hickox of Newtonville and  
Mr. Chas. H. Sprague, formerly of  
Auburndale, are members of the Reception  
Committee. Mr. A. E. Pennell of New-  
ton Highlands is on the Committee on  
Prizes, and Mrs. E. C. Fletcher of West  
Newton and Mrs. M. L. Messer of Auburndale  
are members of the Ladies' Reception  
Committee.Pillsbury's  
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of the World.Our new store, "The Model Grocery," located at the corner of Summer and  
Chauncy streets, in the centre of the shopping district, is especially conven-  
ient for Newton housekeepers when making a tour of the dry goods section of  
the city.

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## Norumbega Park.

Norumbega Park has celebrated its  
fourth Labor Day, and again touched the  
high water mark in attendance. Every-  
thing went without a hitch, from the hand-  
ling of the tremendous crowds by the street  
railway company, to the performances on  
the stage of the Rustic Theatre. That the  
visitors were thirsty will be seen when  
one realizes that nearly 10,000 glasses of  
temperance drinks were sold at the two  
cafes. All the other enterprises in the  
Park fared equally well at the hands of the  
people; cafe, restaurant, boothhouse and  
merry-go-round were patronized liberally.  
The Zoo was at its best, for the animals  
seemed to realize that it was a show day  
and did their utmost to add to the fun.  
While it was light people stood eight and  
ten deep about the monkey cage.The Boston Comedy Co., which made  
such a hit with the audiences on Labor  
Day, ends its run on Saturday. Next Mon-  
day the New York Specialty Co. opens at  
the Rustic Theatre. Rosa Naynon, bird  
trainer, Montague and West, instrument-  
alists, Armstrong Brothers, comedians,  
and Provo, gentlemen juggler are among  
the artists.

## MARRIED.

FAY-SULLIVAN—At Newton Centre, Sept. 7,  
by Rev. D. J. Wholey, Martin Fay and Brid-  
get Mary Sullivan.MARVIN-HOLMES—At Roxbury, Sept. 3, by  
Rev. V. De Normandie, Nelson Henry Mar-  
vin and Emily Burt Holmes of Newton.CLAY-BLISS—At Newton, Sept. 4, by Rev. G.  
W. Shinn, Albert Edward Boggs Clay and  
Lina Annear Bliss.GRIFFIN-EASTMAN—At Newton, Aug. 30, by  
Rev. John Cuckson, Gordon Heustis Griffin  
and Arline Elma Eastman.

## DIED.

NEWTON—At West Newton, Aug. 30, Susan S.  
Wood, widow of Jeremiah L. Newton, 62 yrs.  
1 mos. 23 dys.LIGHTHELL—At West Newton, Aug. 30, James  
F., son of James F. and Mary E. Lighthouse,  
4 yrs. 2 mos. 2 dys.ROBERTS—At Auburndale, Sept. 4, Susan  
Elizabeth, widow of William S. Roberts, 92  
yrs. 2 dys.DOLAN—At Auburndale, Sept. 1, James F.  
Dolan, 62 yrs. 22 dys.DARLING—At Auburndale Sept. 2, Esther Rus-  
sell, daughter of Charles and Elizabeth Dar-  
ling, 11 yrs. 2 mos. 23 dys.

## September Weddings

Our importations from Stafford-  
shire, Hamburg, Antwerp and Havre  
the past month have added many  
superb specimens adapted for pre-  
sentation. Visitors will find an exten-  
sive exhibit of

Rich Cut Crystal Glass.

Rich Color and Gift Carlsbad Glass.

Rich China Plates (in single dozens)  
costing from the low cost up to  
one hundred dollars per doz.  
(Some in white silk-lined cases).Handsome Lamps (from the low  
cost up to the very expensive).Dinner Sets, Minton, Cauldon,  
Wedgwood, Haviland, Canton,  
etc. (from the ordinary to the  
costly).Entree Sets, also Fish Sets, new  
and beautiful designs.

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Housekeepers will find every requi-  
site in China, Glass and Lamps  
of the newest, as well as the  
old standard patterns of Table  
Ware, and carrying many stock  
patterns. Matchings can be  
supplied, an advantage appre-  
ciated by experienced house-  
keepers. One price marked in  
plain figures, and we are not  
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Caucuses.Pursuant to the call of the Republican State  
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quested to meet in Caucus on

Monday, Sept. 24, 1900

At 5 P. M.

In their respective wards as follows:

Ward 1, Armory Hall, Newton.

Ward 2, Associates' Hall, 297

Walnut street.

Ward 3, Village Hall, 1301

Washington street.

Ward 4, Taylor's Block, Auburn

street.

Ward 5, Stevens Hall, Lincoln

street.

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Ward 7, Eliot Lower Hall, New

ton.

For the purpose of choosing delegates to the  
Republican State, Congressional, Councilor,  
County and Senatorial Conventions of 1900. The  
respective Wards are entitled to delegates to the  
above conventions as follows: Ward 1, three;  
Ward 2, four; Ward 3, four; Ward 4, three;  
Ward 5, three; Ward 6, four; Ward 7, three.

Also for the purpose of choosing delegates to the

Republican Convention for the 16th  
Middlesex District.

Which is hereby called to meet at

Temple Hall, Masonic Block  
Newtonville,THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1900,  
at 8 P. M.For the choice of two candidates for the Gen-  
eral Court for which convention the respective  
Wards are entitled to delegates as follows:  
Ward 1, five; Ward 2, eight; Ward 3, eight;  
Ward 4, five; Ward 5, seven; Ward 6, eight;  
Ward 7, six.Also for the purpose of electing five members  
in each Ward of the Ward Committee of 1901,  
and of transacting any other business  
that may properly come before the caucus.  
These Caucuses are called and are to be held  
in accordance with Chapter 548 of the Acts of  
1898, and the acts supplementary thereto. Polls  
must be kept from 5 until 8:30 p. m. No  
nomination papers must be filed with the Sec-  
retary of the Ward and City Committee, at  
Room 5, Masonic Block, Newtonville, before 5  
p. m. Tuesday, September 11th, 1900.  
Republican Ward and City Committee of  
Newton.

DAVID W. FARQUHAR, Chairman.

CHARLES E. HATFIELD, Sec.

## Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a  
certain mortgage deed given by Daniel Man-  
ning to George G. Brewer dated August 24, A.  
D. 1898, and recorded with Middlesex South  
District Deeds, book 208, page 292, for breach  
of the condition of said mortgage and for the  
purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at  
public auction on the premises hereinafter de-  
scribed, on Saturday, the 29th day of Sep-  
tember, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon,  
all and singular the premises conveyed by said  
mortgage deed and therein described substan-  
tially as follows: A certain parcel of land with  
the buildings thereon situated in Newton in the  
County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of  
Massachusetts, being lot F, as shown on a plan  
of lots belonging to G. G. Brewer, Newton, by  
Asplaval and Lincoln, C. E., dated August 24,  
1898, and to be recorded herewith, and bounded  
and described as follows: Southeasterly by  
Main Road, as shown on said plan, fifty-five  
(55) feet; southeasterly by lot G, as shown on  
said plan, one hundred and twenty-five (125)  
feet; northeasterly by land now or formerly of  
Jesse L. Palmer fifty-five and 89-100 (55.89) feet;  
and northeasterly by lot E, as shown on said  
plan, one hundred and nineteen and 41-100  
(119.41) feet; containing according to said plan  
6827 square feet. Being part of the premises  
conveyed to said Manning by said George G.  
Brewer by deed of even date with said mort-  
gage and therewith recorded, subject to restric-  
tions of record.Said premises will be sold subject to all un-  
paid taxes and assessments. \$500 will be re-  
quired in cash at time and place of sale. For  
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## NEWTONVILLE.

—Mr. H. P. Dearborn of Bowers street is able to be out again.

—Mr. U. H. Dyer has returned from a short visit in Exeter, N. H.

—Mr. H. W. Stowell of Watertown street has returned from Winthrop.

—Mr. George W. Anyansan has been spending the week in New York.

—F. F. Raymond of Otis street has returned from the White Mountains.

—J. B. Taylor and family of Lowell avenue are back from Deer Isle, Me.

—J. H. Willey and family of Turner street are back from Peaks Island, Me.

—W. T. Vose and family of Edinboro street have returned from Brant Rock.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Waite of Lowell avenue have returned from Sea View.

—Mr. Herbert McKenzie is visiting her sister in Providence, R. I., this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Baker of Mill street are enjoying an outing in Maine.

—Mr. Buffum and family of Walnut street have returned from a sojourn in Maine.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Waite of Lowell avenue have returned from Barnstable.

—W. H. Rogers and family of Edinboro street have returned from Point Allerton.

—Mr. H. M. Fletcher of Judkins street has returned from a short trip to Vermont.

—Mrs. E. F. Partridge of Austin street returned Tuesday from a trip to the Cape.

—Mr. Christopher Mofiale has been ill the past week at his home on Walnut terrace.

—Mr. C. H. Alden, Jr., has moved this week into the Hunt house on Washington park.

—Mr. Gordon and family have returned from a visit to relatives in Plymouth, Mass.

—Mrs. Osgood of New York is the guest of Mrs. J. Howard Brown of Bowers street.

—Mr. C. T. Berry and family of Washington street have returned from a trip to Maine.

—Mr. William S. Scamman of Walnut terrace has returned from a pleasure trip to Maine.

—Captain and Mrs. Lemuel Pettie of Lowell avenue are spending two weeks at the shore.

—Rev. and Mrs. O. S. Davis of Judkins street have returned from a stay at Orleans, Mass.

—Mr. Irving O. Palmer and family of Trowbridge avenue are home from a stay in Maine.

—Mr. Harold Hunt of Walnut street has returned from a three weeks' outing at North Falmouth.

—Mrs. Thomas Emerson of Brookside avenue returned Wednesday from an outing in Maine.

—J. O. Palmer and family of Trowbridge avenue have returned from a few weeks' outing in Maine.

—Mr. Joseph W. Knowles and family of Lowell avenue have returned from a pleasant outing in Maine.

—Miss Cook, who was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Bowers street, has returned to her home in Lawrence.

—Mr. Herbert S. Kempton and family of Birch Hill road have returned from Grand Isle, Lake Champlain.

—Miss H. A. Robinson of Walnut street returned Tuesday from a six weeks' stay at Boothbay Harbor, Me.

—Miss Bertha R. Steeves of Washington park is in Rutland for a few weeks, enjoying a vacation outing.

—Mr. Edward W. Masters and family of Gay street, returned Monday from a vacation at Yarmouthport.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Martell of Washington street left Wednesday for a trip through Nova Scotia.

—Miss Ellen S. Tewksbury of Harvard street is spending the month of September at Franklin Falls, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Strong have reopened their house on Highland avenue after an extended absence.

—Miss Hattie L. Calley of Austin street will open her kindergarten school Monday, Sept. 17, for the fall term.

—Charles Atwood has returned from Squirrel Island, Me., where he has been connected with an orchestra.

—Mr. Harry N. Milliken of Russell court returned the last of the week from his summer home at Camden, Me.

—Miss Flora Pettie of Lowell avenue has been in Intervale, N. H., the guest of Miss Margaret C. Worcester.

—Mrs. George A. Strout and Miss Strout of Lowell avenue have returned from East Boothbay and Brunswick, Me.

—Miss Kate W. Lockett of Highland avenue is a guest of the Misses Hooper at their summer home, Bath, Me.

—Mr. George Burgess of Otis street returned last week from Europe where he has been for nearly three years.

—Miss Williams, who is visiting her parents on Court street, is entertaining a friend from North Dana, Mass.

—L. C. Sonle has returned to Tarrytown, N. Y., after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Soule of Broadway.

—Mrs. Mulholland and her daughter returned Saturday to their home on Otis street after a visit to Acton and Stowe.

—Mrs. Wolfe Londoner and family of Austin street are back from Kennebunkport beach after a several weeks' stay.

—The Misses Carrie and Catherine Duncan of Foster street returned the first of the week from an outing at Squirrel Island, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. Mark C. Taylor and the Misses Taylor of Walnut street returned Monday from a several weeks' visit in Orleans, Mass.

—Mrs. Upham and family, who have been the guests of Mr. Henry B. Chamberlain of Court street, have returned to Washington, D. C.

—The Newtonville Cab Company, Mr. Thomas Brady, proprietor, can furnish carriages for receptions, weddings and parties; first class service guaranteed.

—Rev. O. S. Davis will preach in the Central Congregational church next Sunday morning. Service commences at 10.45. All are cordially invited to be present.

—Miss Caroline E. Prescott of Quaker Hill, Conn., who has been the guest of relatives on Austin street, left Monday for an extended stay at Salt Lake City, Utah.

—Mrs. J. W. Allen of Foster street has returned by way of the Thousand Islands from the National Convention of the Daughters of Veterans, recently held at Chicago.

—Hon. John A. Fensio of Walnut street, who is superintendent of the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn Railroad, is to be congratulated on completing twenty-five years of service with the road. He is considered one of the ablest railroad officials in the East.

—A large party of members of Gethsemane Commandery and their friends left Newtonville square at seven o'clock last evening in one of the fifteen seat electric cars of the Newton & Boston Street Railway. An enjoyable ride was taken through to Natick. Electric lights on the car attracted much attention along the route.

—Mr. F. W. Pray and Mrs. Pray of Kirk-stall road have returned from an outing in Maine.

—Mr. Frank W. Lucas of Crafts street has returned from a visit to his brother in Beverly.

—Miss Jeannette Grant of Nevada street is in Ashland this week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Abbott.

—The Misses Julia A. Butler and Kate L. Butler returned Tuesday to their home on Bowers street after a stay in Maine.

—Mrs. John Carter and the Misses Elinor and Leslie Carter of Highland avenue have returned with the rest of the Newton party from Cutler, Me.

—Miss Martha Eaves, widow of James Eaves, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Sibley, on Washington street, Dorchester, yesterday, aged 73 years. She was well known here and resided on L. well avenue. Funeral services will be held from her daughter's residence in Dorchester, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

## WEST NEWTON.

—Dr. Noll has returned from a ten days' trip to Yarmouth.

—Mr. Henry F. Cate has returned from an outing at Chatham.

—Miss M. L. Morse has returned from a trip to Old Orchard, Me.

—Mrs. George H. Ellis of Commonwealth avenue is at Barre, Mass.

—Mr. M. Frank Lucas returned the first of the week from a trip to Maine.

—Dr. Samuel G. Webber and family of Highland street are at Plymouth.

—Mr. J. P. Holmes and family of Otis street have returned from Greenfield.

—Miss Louise Cobb of Princes street is the guest of friends in Harvard, Mass.

—Mr. B. M. Warren of Fountain street has returned from a trip to Philadelphia.

—Mr. Ellery Peabody of Perkins street has returned from Crow Point, Hingham.

—Mr. Frank D. Tarleton left Monday for a business and pleasure trip to New York.

—Mr. Frank E. Fuller of Washington street has returned from a trip to Bermuda.

—Miss Mary Glynn of Cherry street returned Friday from a trip to Cottage City.

—Richard Hunt of Webster street returned Monday from Green Harbor, Duxbury.

—Miss Elizabeth P. Thurston of Fountain street has returned from New Hampshire.

—Fred Baker of Washington street has returned from a business trip to Philadelphia.

—Dr. Fred L. Thayer of Waltham street is able to be out this week after a long illness.

—Mrs. L. F. Warren and family of Otis street have returned from Bridgewater, N. H.

—Miss Shepard is at her home on Perkins street after a visit in Washington, Conn.

—Miss Symonds of Shaw street has returned from a vacation trip to Lake Champlain.

—Dr. Henry B. Chandler and family of Webster street have returned from Andover.

—M. S. L. O. Garney of Winthrop street is at her home again after a visit in Camden, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. Warren Davis of River street returned Saturday after a summer's absence.

—Mr. Wells and his sister, Miss Wells of Webster street, returned Monday from Bradford, N. H.

—William T. Rice and family of Winslow street will return this week from North Scituate.

—Stewart P. Leonard of Putnam street returned yesterday from a business trip to New York.

—J. I. Christie of Washington street is entertaining his sister, Mrs. Reynolds, of Nova Scotia.

—Henry N. DeNormandie and family of Elm street have returned from two months' on the Cape.

—Miss E. L. Anthony of Chestnut street returns this week from a stay at Kennebunkport, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Earle of Parsons street returned Monday from Bradford, N. H.

—Mr. Clark Wilcox has moved to Milford, where he will go into the jewelry business with his father.

—Mr. Edward M. Hall and family are at their home on Henshaw street after a two months' absence.

—Mr. J. E. Bacon of Prospect street returned Wednesday from a several weeks' vacation in Maine.

—Miss Sarah S. Webber will reopen her gymnasium at 279 Highland street on Wednesday, Oct. 17.

—Mr. Thomas B. Fitzpatrick and family of Waltham street have returned from two weeks' at Magnolia.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stacy and their daughter, Miss Joan Smith, have returned from Nova Scotia.

—Miss Nellie Batstone has returned from Winthrop and is quite ill at her home on Washington street.

—Dr. and Mrs. Eugene A. Crockett have arrived from England and are at their summer home in Ipswich.

—Mrs. Fred T. Burgess and family of Eden avenue are at home on an outing spent at North Scituate.

—Miss Anna C. Clapp of Waltham has been a guest this week of Miss Lucy E. Allen of Webster street.

—Mr. N. T. Allen and family of Webster street returned Wednesday from their summer cottage at Linekin, Me.

—Mr. George T. Garrison and family of Chestnut street returned Tuesday from an outing in New Hampshire.

—Mr. Thomas Lane and family of Webster street have returned from a two weeks' stay at Monument Beach.

—Capt. Charles P. Heustis returned Saturday from a four months' trip to Cape Nome and the Klondike region.

—Mrs. Richard Rowe and Miss Alice Rowe of Shaw street are enjoying a vacation stay at Jackson, N. H.

—At the Unitarian church next Sunday the morning service will be conducted by Rev. J. B. Green of Newberg, N. Y.

—Miss Adah Thompson of Waltham street will spend the fall and winter in Quebec, where she will teach elocution.

—Officer Martin J. Neagle and family of River street returned this week from a two weeks' stay at White Horse beach.

—The first fall meeting of the Home Circle will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 19, at 2 p. m., in the Unitarian church parlors.

—Mrs. Julian C. Jaynes and Miss Ethel Jaynes of Prince street returned yesterday from their summer home at Malpeque, P. E. I.

—W. L. Carter of the Brae Burn Golf Club was among the prominent players who participated in the tournament for the Fergus cup played on the Wauwobek golf club links at Jefferson, N. H., last Friday.

—Miss E. B. Ball has returned from Beach Bluff.

—F. W. Wise and family of Prince street have returned from Mennahat.

—H. K. Burdison has returned from his summer home at Provincetown.

—H. L. Burrage and family of Sterling street are back from Manset, Me.

—Mrs. Eugene L. Clark of Lenox street is at South Essex for a vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bennett are spending their vacation on the Maine coast.

—Mrs. C. E. Danforth of Crescent street left this week for a trip to Carrier, Pa.

—Miss Margaret Wise of Regent street is spending the late season at Colasset.

—Mr. Fisher Ames and family of Temple street returned Tuesday from Castine, Me.

—Mr. G. W. Marsh of Washington street returned Tuesday from a trip to Vermont.

—Mr. G. A. Frost and family of Chestnut street have returned from New Hampshire.

—Mr. and Mrs. Newton F. Lucas have moved from Davis street to Warwick road.

—Miss Henrietta Campbell of Washington street is visiting friends in Hyde Park.

—Mr. John C. Kent of Waltham street has returned from a trip to Pennsylvania.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Pratt of Highland street have returned from Shelburne, N. H.

—Miss Elizabeth Garrison of Chestnut street is at home from a trip to Kennebunkport.

—Mr. Edward Gately of River street has returned from a visit to friends in Worcester.

—Mr. Charles F. McCarty and family have moved here and will reside on Border street.

—Mrs. C. E. Cram and children of Lenox street have returned from a sojourn in Maine.

—Mr. Thomas E. Stutson and family of Fountain street are home from North Falmouth.

—Mrs. Anna A. Whidden and family of Winthrop street have returned from Rockland, Me.

—Rear Admiral Lewis A. Kimberley of Penn street has returned from Bar Harbor.

—E. H. Ferry of Berkeley street has returned from a two months' tour through Europe.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Applebee of Elm street are back from a visit to friends in Lynn.

—Mrs. Walter M. Hastings of Temple street is at her home after a stay at Craigville.

—Miss Addie G. Scomb of Perkins street has returned from a trip to Washington, Conn.

—Mr. J. E. Bacon and Mrs. Bacon of Prospect street have returned from York beach, Me.

—Mr. N. A. Ross and family have moved here from Auburndale and are residing on Elm street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Travelli of Chestnut street are back from Poland Springs, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Howland are at their home on Prince street after several weeks at North Scituate.

—Mrs. H. C. Thompson and Miss B. A. Alden of Austin street have returned from Brunswick, Me.

—Frank R. Barker and family of Chestnut street have returned from an extended sojourn in Falmouth.

—Mr. and Mrs. George T. Garrison of Chestnut street have returned from an outing at Franconia, N. H.

—Dr. David W. Wells and family of Putnam street are at home from a sojourn at Hebron, N. H.

—Mr. Frances A. Cluston, who has been summering in the provinces, has returned to his home on Otis street.

—Prof. Henry C. Sheldon and family of Cherry street have returned from Brunswick and other points in Maine.

—Mr. and Mrs. George S. Inman have returned from their wedding trip and are residing on Abbottsford road, Brookline.

—Harold Greenwood of Temple street and Harry and Edwin Sixby of Margin street have been enjoying a part of the week at Chatham.

—At the recent annual reunion of the Sharon Centre School Association, Mr. Charles W. Leonard of Forest avenue was elected a vice-president.

—Lieut. Fred M. Mitchell was on duty at police headquarters, Tuesday, after his annual vacation. Lieut. John Ryan is enjoying a week's vacation.

—At the firemen's muster held in Essex last Monday the Newtonians participated in the play out, holding several prizes and throwing a stream of 18 feet, 5 3/8 inches.

—Rev. Dr. T. P. Prindle, who has been summering at Camden, Me., was in town Sunday and occupied the pulpit of the Congregational church. Dr. Prindle intends moving his family here this week.

—Following is the list of advertised letters remaining in the post office: Miss Annie Boyce, Miss Graham, Geo. Murphy, Mrs. Grace Moorhouse, Miss Mary E. Slater, Mr. W. M. Rice, Mr. Redman, Mrs. T. J. Whelan.

—Mrs. Susan S. Newton, widow of late J. L. Newton, died at her home on Lenox street Thursday of last week. A short service was held at the house Saturday morning at 9.30 and the funeral followed at Royalston in the afternoon.

—Patrick S. McBride died Wednesday at his home 36 Pine street. He had suffered from cancer for more than a year. Mr. McBride was 45 years old and a faithful employee of the highway department. He is survived by a wife and ten children.

—Mrs. Susan E. Roberts, widow of the late William S. Roberts, and a well known resident of this place, passed away at her home on Washington street last Tuesday, aged 92 years. She was a native of Salem and the funeral took place in that city yesterday. The interment was in Harmony Grove cemetery.

—The August cup of the Brae Burn Golf Club has been awarded to Mr. George T. Lincoln of Lenox street whose score was 3 up, with a handicap of 12. F. B. Dutton with 6 down, handicap of 9, wins the best gross score prize. Mr. George A. Frost is awarded the second prize for 3 down with a score of 5 down, handicap of 6.

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I think there are more men shot with their own guns by taking them from a boat than in any other way. When you run your boat or canoe to the bank, your gun is likely to be in the bow, which I think is the best place for it. Take hold of it by the forestock and step out. Put it in a safe place where you are sure it will not fall down. Then draw up your boat or do anything else you have to do, but do not let your gun stay in the boat until you have shouldered your pack and then catch hold of the muzzle, drag it up over the gunwale, hook the hammers and have it explode. It is likely to blow out your brains.—Forest and Stream.

## Steel Forks in the White House.

Writing of "One Hundred Years in the White House" and recalling some of the notable entertainments given by our chief executives, Rene Bache in *The Ladies Home Journal* says that "President Madison revived much of the formal ceremony which Thomas Jefferson had discarded, and under his administration great attention was given to the state banquets, no expense being spared in making them as fine as possible. President Jackson disliked ceremony even more than did President Jefferson, and preferring a steel fork himself, he always provided each guest with one silver fork and one of steel. After dinner he smoked a long stemmed corncob pipe. He wished to throw the doors of the White House wide open to the public, but this idea he was forced to relinquish after the experience of one occasion on which he extended an ill judged hospitality to all comers. The carpet in the east room was ruined by punch which the mob spilled in its eagerness to get at the buckets containing the beverage, the gowns of many ladies were spoiled, and the furniture was broken. At his farewell reception President Jackson introduced a curious novelty in the shape of a gigantic cheese which was cut into pieces and distributed among the guests."

## Knocked Out the Poetry.

James Russell Lowell was dreamily strolling along toward his home in Cambridge one unusually beautiful night. Slowly, with serene, queenly majesty, a full moon was ascending her "azure throne," pouring her lavish light over all things and softening into semblances of beauty even the ugly features of the conventional domestic architecture round about. Duly illuminated by the loveliness of the spectacle, the poet as he passed by the house of the estimable brother man who supplied meat to him regularly for a slight consideration of profit noticed that a valuable citizen leaning on his fence and gazing up in a kind of rapt way.

It pleased Lowell to think that the butcher's immortal soul was bathing itself in the flood of semispiritual moonlight and, pausing, he remarked, "What a beautiful night it is, neighbor!"

"Yes, Mr. Lowell, I was just a-thinkin' that a bully night for a slaughterin' this would be!"

"Of course, of course," gasped the poet, beating a hasty retreat.—Argonaut.

## As Good as Teeth.

Less than an hour's ride from New York is a community in which a certain meat and vegetable grinding machine has attained such popularity that it threatens to affect the dentist's work and income. Not content with using it for the preparation of hash and similar made over dishes, it is screwed to the table in many houses and made to do the work of knife and fork in cutting up food.

"Father and I was talking about getting some false teeth," said one elderly woman, "but since we bought this machine, I declare, we don't need 'em, and we can save the money. I guess it would cost as much as \$5 apiece for us to get new teeth, and I bought this machine for \$1.15. If I'd only know'd it, they had a bargain sale one day when I could a got it for 85 cents."—New York Press.

## Business Tomorrow.

When the Spartans seized upon Thebes, they placed Archias over the garrison. Polydoras, with 11 others, banded together to put Archias to the sword. A letter containing full details of the plot was given to the Spartan polemarch at the banquet table, but Archias thrust the letter under his cushion, saying, "Business tomorrow." But long ere that sun arose he was numbered with the dead.

## Ready For Use.

"Beg pardon," said the long haired visitor, "but is there a literary club around here anywhere?"

"Yes, there is," said the editor significantly, reaching under his desk. "Are you a literary man?"—Catholic Standard and News.

Ancestors of Presidents Tyler, Lincoln, Hayes and Cleveland were among Major John Mason's band of 35 pioneers who founded Norwich, Conn.

Many sedons of European royalty hold military commissions before they are old enough to walk.

## IN APRIL.

In the sweet sequestered silence of the greenwood shade  
Sitting in the shadow that the spreading pines have made,  
I am listening, idly dreaming, through the golden hours of day  
To the wailing voice of springtime with her promises of May.

Where the rippling waters of the brooklet clear and sweet  
Murmur fairy music as they flow just at my feet,  
Tune thy soul to hear it, for 'tis of higher birth,  
Spirit unto spirit come the dearest things of earth.

Where arbutus hails its modest bloom of dainty hue  
And patriot hepatica, with flowers red, white and blue,  
List their spirit voices, "We have not come to stay,  
But just to bring a promise that will be fulfilled in May."

—Rose Van B. Speece in *Scranton Tribune*.

## The Plot That Failed

Showing How the Plan of a Novel May Be Too Intricate.

I. We fellows had missed Dick's cheerful face a good deal from the Levity club of late, and the idea took possession of us that he must be ill or in love. As his especial friend I was commissioned to investigate. To this end I called upon him at his chambers in the Temple.

I knocked, but received no reply, so I pushed open the door and entered.

I expected to find the room empty; but, to my surprise, right before me as I entered sat Dick Graham at a writing table which was strewn with manuscripts and odd scraps of paper.

"Dick, old chap," said I, stepping forward to his desk and laying my hand upon his shoulder, "what's up? Turned deaf all of a sudden?"

"Good heavens!" he cried. "I—I— you gave me a fright, Harold. I didn't know any one was in the room."

"I beg your pardon," I replied. "But I knocked several times, and as I received no invitation to come in I entered."

"The fact is"—he began apologetically, with a glance at his desk.

"Yes, yes," I interrupted, "I see—you confounded old yarns. Well, you've simply got to turn them up for a spell. Now, come."

"I would," replied Dick, "were I engaged upon any ordinary story, but this one I am working at now is my masterpiece."

"H'm!" I coughed slightly.

"Really," said Dick, "I'm in earnest this time. Look here, I've just conceived the idea for a plot which when worked into a story will startle the world with its brilliancy. Just have a squint at the outline. Perhaps a suggestion might help me."

Eagerly he raked together about a dozen scraps of paper covered with diagrams and a sheet of paper closely written upon.

"My idea," he began, "is this: Two fellows, named respectively Dick and Harry, are in love with two girls, Lucy and Mabel. Now, Dick loves Lucy, while Harry's affections are centered upon Mabel. Very well. But there is trouble—I. e., Mabel doesn't care a straw about Harry. Her fancy is Dick. And the object of Lucy's tender passion is Harry. D'you see?"

"Yes," rather faintly.

"Well," he continued, "there is to be a masked ball in their town, and my four characters will be present. Dick intends to go as a Chinaman and Harry as Mr. Answers. Mabel is going as Queen Mary and Lucy as Mrs. Kruger. By some means they all get to know what the disguises of the others will be. But at the last moment each couple exchange their dresses, reversing the characters. D'you see?"

"I—I think I grasp it," I muttered between my set teeth.

"Well," continued Dick, "the consequence is that Harry, who was going as Mr. Answers, but who has really gone as a Chinaman, proposes to Lucy, who is made up as Queen Mary, taking her to be Mabel, who as a matter of fact is masquerading as Mrs. Kruger."

A cold sweat was beginning to break out all over me, and I believe I must have worn that same kind of hunted expression which was now increasing on poor Dick's face. He had gathered two or three scraps of paper, and was illustrating the "idea" to me by means of rough sketches of the characters, from one to the other of whom he drew arrows to point his meaning.

"Go on," I said desperately.

"You see," he said, in compliance, "there is an arrow pointing from Dick to Lucy, showing he loves her; here is another from Lucy to Harry, showing she loves Harry." I fairly trembled now, and Graham's hair was assuming a rigid perpendicular. "Then here is a curved line from Harry to Lucy in the diagram, showing them at the ball, which points to the fact"—

"Heavens, man!" I broke out, "drop it, or I'll go mad!"

"Do have a little patience!" he cried excitedly. "It's getting quite simple. I assure you. There are only a few points to clear up, and it'll be as simple as A B C."

He dipped his pen in the ink, and drew another diagram representing the four characters.

"You see by this," he said, pointing to it, "that Dick, who ought to be a Chinaman, is really Mr. Answers; while the girl he—that is, her—and Harry has changed his disguise from Mr. Answers to a Chinaman. Well, Dick loves Lucy—Queen Mary, really—but he takes Mrs. Kruger to be she. See, if?"

"Pardon me, Dick, old fellow," I interrupted. "It may be that I am very dense, but I must confess that I can't follow you."

"That's because you're a fool!" he snapped. "This is the grandest, most

hovel, simplest and at the same time most intricate plot ever hatched."

"Well, have another try to explain," said I.

## II.

Setting his teeth and fixing a steely look upon the papers before him, he commenced:

"Dick loves Lucy, and Harry loves Mabel. Mr. Answers is going to a ball—no, no; Harry will be Mr. Answers, and it is he who will be at the ball with Mrs. Kruger."

"Haven't you got it a bit mixed?" I ventured timidly.

"Not a bit," he said feverishly. "Let me continue before I lose the thread."

In awe I listened to him as he proceeded:

"They change disguises. Mrs. Kruger and Queen Mary are Mabel and Lucy, only the other way about. The Chinaman proposes to Mrs. Kruger and is accepted—I mean, Mr. Answers is!"

He had jumped to his feet and was turning over the diagram feverishly.

"Stop it, man!" I cried. "You'll go off your head!"

"Mrs. Kruger and Queen Mary went to a masked ball," I heard him mutter. Once again I besought him to desist.

"If the fancy ball—that is, suppose Mrs. Kruger were a Chinaman—no, no!"

He was fairly dancing about now with excitement and, bad sign, had started to work the thing out on his finger tips.

I waited for no more.

Without delay I dashed off to the Levity and fetched half a dozen friends. We arrived at Dick's chambers.

The poor fellow was sitting quietly on the floor, surrounded by manuscripts and sheets of paper bearing diagrams.

"If Mrs. Kruger were to meet Mr. Answers at the carnival, would Lucy be engaged to a Chinaman or to Queen Mary?" he was muttering. "Suppose Queen Mary were Mrs. Kruger—impossible! Then Mr. Answers must be a Chinaman, and I know he isn't. Suppose a Chinaman married a fancy dress ball! Who proposed to Mrs. Kruger?"

We stole away as softly as we had come, a scared look on our faces.

A week later poor old Dick Graham was safe in Bedlam.

From a scrap of paper I found in Dick's rooms I have copied the most concise description of the plot he ever wrote. Here it is:

"Dick is in love with Lucy and Harry with Mabel. But Lucy loves Harry, and Mabel loves Dick. They are all going to a masked ball and know each other's intended disguise beforehand. Dick intends to go as a Chinaman and Harry as Mr. Answers; Mabel is going as Queen Mary and Lucy as Mrs. Kruger. But at the last moment each couple change over disguises. Of course at the ball Harry proposes to"—

Here the writing breaks off. The attempt to work it out drove Dick Graham mad, and I defy any one else to do it without the same result.—Chicago Times-Herald.

## Never Noticed It.

A traveler in Corsica says that, although Porto Vecchio is so filthy that one would like to dip it in the Mediterranean for a thorough wash, it is wonderfully lovely at a distance. Its white granite houses with red tiled roofs and fragments of old walls, with the blue sky above and the green knoll beneath and about, make up an alluring southern picture as ever haunted a northerner's memory. But do the southerners themselves appreciate it? If one may judge by comparison, apparently not. Says a writer in *Travel*:

"They do not seem a deeply intelligent folk on this east coast. I stopped in a very hot part of the road to ask a man the name of a certain noble mountain peak inland, with veins of snow upon it."

"I do not know," said he heavily. "Ah, then you do not live here?"

"Yes, I am of these parts."

"But you were not brought up here?"

"Yes, I was born here."

"And you do not know the name of that very high mountain?"

"I know nothing about it."

He spoke conclusively. The most conspicuous object in his daily landscape had, in his eyes, no significance whatever.

## Death and Snuff.

A certain Margaret Wilson of Westminster, who was an inveterate snuff taker, enjoined that a quantity of Scotch snuff should be placed in her coffin. She also ordered that the funeral arrangements connected with her funeral should be as follows: "Six men to be my bearers who are known to be the greatest snuff takers in the parish of St. James, Westminster. Instead of mourning, each to wear a snuff colored beaver hat, which I desire may be bought for the purpose and given to them. Six maidens of my old acquaintance to bear my pall, each to carry a box filled with the best Scotch snuff, to take for their refreshment as they go along." Snuff was also to be thrown on the threshold of deceased's dwelling before the cortege passed out, snuff was to be strewn on the ground at every 20 yards in advance of the coffin, and the officiating clergyman's fee was to be proportionate to the quantity of snuff he consumed during the ceremony.—Household Words.

## A House of Bulrushes.

The first place of worship in Western Australia was quite unlike both from its frail form of construction and also the several purposes to which it was devoted. This remarkable building was made at Perth, then merely a town site, by soldiers of the Second company, Sixty-third regiment, shortly after the detachment arrived at the colony in 1829, and was composed almost entirely of bulrushes. In addition to this rude little edifice being used on Sundays for divine worship, it sometimes served as an amateur theater during the week, and was used during the whole time as a barracks.

## Chinese Pulse Feeling.

The Chinese physicians, it is well known, have long had the credit of paying very particular attention to the pulse. They even pretend to derive a much more minute and accurate knowledge of the state of the sick from that source than European practitioners lay any claim to.

The patient is directed to be laid in bed, with his arm resting on a small cushion. The physician must be seated, and both parties are enjoined to remain calm, silent and collected. The fingers are next to be applied in due succession, one after another, in order to judge of the compressibility of the artery.

The Chinese do not infer solely from the rapidity of the pulsations. Their mode is to compare the number of pulsations of the artery with the intervals of the respiration of the patient. The number of pulsations of a man in moderate health they consider in relation to the time of a natural inspiration and expiration. Four beats of the pulse during this period they consider as indicating perfect health. If it exceeds five pulsations, it is considered as too quick; if under that number, as too slow respecting good health. It is required to reckon 50 pulsations in order to form a correct indication. Their chief divisions of the pulse are four, the superficial, the profound, the quick and the slow. These they consider as having relation to the four temperaments, the choleric, the sanguine, the phlegmatic and the melancholy.—Health.

## A Snake That Crows.

There exists in Venezuela a species of snake of an exceedingly venomous and crafty character. This snake utters a cry that is the almost exact replica of a cock crow. The unwary traveler when walking through the bush will be astonished to hear near at hand this extraordinary crowing. He proceeds toward the spot, when the snake darts out and stings the unfortunate man with its terrible forked tongue. If not taken promptly in hand, the sting will in nine cases out of ten turn out to be fatal.

The black inhabitants of Venezuela are, like all other dark races, very superstitious. As regards the rattlesnake they have a curious belief. They affirm that if a rattlesnake is captured and the bones in its tail which form the rattle removed the snake will never rest until it has sought out the man that committed the theft and exacted vengeance for the robbery.

They cite instances of men who have taken the rattles and gone far journeys only to be followed by the infuriated snake and killed. Whether there is any truth in this is a matter of conjecture. If half the tales that are told have any truth in them, it would seem superfluous to gainsay the superstition.

## Our Old Shipplasters.

An officer of the treasury department estimates that more than \$15,000,000 worth of the old fashioned fractional paper currency is still outstanding, and though some of it has doubtless been destroyed the bulk of it is held by collectors and private individuals. Every now and then some old person dies, and the heirs, finding a quantity of the "shipplasters" in a disused pocketbook or some other hiding place, send them to Washington to be redeemed. Occasionally, too, banks forward quite a lot of the notes in unbroken sheets, just as they got them many years ago. At first these sheets had to be cut apart with scissors, but afterward they were perforated like postage stamps so as to be torn apart. Not long ago the treasury received a handkerchief full of this currency of the first issue, each note being signed by Treasurer Spinner with his own hand. About \$3,000 worth of this fractional paper comes in for redemption each year, and some of the best of it is saved out by the department to be given away in response to applications from collectors.

## One Quite Enough.

"I don't see how any sane man can want more than one wife," he said as he finished reading an article on Turkey.

"Yes; one is quite enough. Isn't it, dear?" she returned. "The human heart is not large enough for more than one, and then polygamy always seems to me so cheapen women too."

"I wasn't thinking of that," he answered. "What bothers me is how any man can go to work deliberately to accumulate troubles—to make a collection, as you might say."—Chicago Post.

## Letting in Sunshine.

To the world—the thoughtless, misjudging world—he appeared a man without one humane impulse.

"Nevertheless," said he to himself, "I have this day done my share toward letting in the sunshine on the life of the poor."

For had not his agent by his direction taken the roof from the humble home of Mrs. McHoogarity on account of her inability to pay the rent and her disinclination to move?—Indianapolis Press.

## A Willing Victim.

"Well, Mr. Bickers," said Lawyer Breef, "your wife sues for divorce and asks \$5,000 a year alimony. Of course we will defend it."

"No, Mr. Breef, we will not defend," replied Mr. Bickers.

"But that is an enormous alimony."

"That's all right, but I am for peace at any price."—Detroit Free Press.

## The Signed Petition.

"What was that petition he was circulating?" asked the inquisitive man.

"I don't know," replied the extremely polite man.

"Why, you signed it when he asked you to?"

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Serene and pity had clutched my heart,  
Lashed its chords to their infinite chain;  
They watched, dull eyed, as I sat apart,  
A pallid fate at the gates of pain.

Torturing thoughts from an empty past  
Surged within, like a hurrying pack  
Of hungry wolves which before the blast  
Fretted the snows in the beaten track.

Colder than where they gibber and glide  
My future beckoned across life's way;  
I turned and shivered and crept to hide  
Where ruined hope on my hearthstone lay.

When, lo, a presence! I saw him stand  
Rapt and smiling, a dimpled cheek;  
Draw near and eye me, with outstretched hand,  
"Catch me who will! I am free and wild!"

He took my fingers the damp had chilled  
To his little red mouth's wooing breath;  
He touched my hair that the night had filled  
With wan, wet dew of despair and death.

Round my heart he threw warm red roses,  
Round and pulled me with ardent grace;  
Slightly sweet with imperious power,  
He clasped me close in his soft embrace.

Trembling, frightened, with feet that stumbled,  
"Tell me thy name, oh, thou pretty boy!"  
He laughed at my voice that fear had humbled,  
"Ho, foolish coward, my name is Joy!"

—Julien Gordon in Collier's Weekly.

## The Way Some Men Love

The Story of a Man's Sacrifice.

By Elizabeth Voss.

"She'll be hard to tether, Kitty will. It'll be like lassoing a butterfly, an I 'low as the man as can do it ain't appeared in camp yet," said Joe Bartlett meditatively. "As for me, I ain't got the show of a chance. How in thunder can I expect a dainty little girl like Kitty to care for a rough, ignorant feller like me?"

He took the pipe from his mouth and, knocking the ashes from it, filled it carefully, but it was evident that his mind was not upon his task. "Can't even speak grammar as I'd ort to," he muttered with disgust. "But they ain't nothing I wouldn't do for Kitty—Lord love her—even to studying a grammar book."

Joe was modest. He had no self esteem whatever and undervalued his merits. That so remarkable a creature as Kitty should ever love him was to be considered only in the light of an impossibility. If his love became hopeful, he reviled himself and blushed at his temerity.

Yet Joe was foreman of the new mine at Clear Creek camp and the most important man in the place. "No, the man ain't arrived yet," continued Joe, "an when he does"—he turned a little pale—"when he does God help Joe Bartlett!"

That evening, as was his habit, Joe was at Amos Carter's cabin. There were two reasons why he liked to spend an evening with Carter—he enjoyed swapping yarns with him over their pipes and Kitty happened to be Carter's daughter. Kitty never suspected his love. Joe knew that she did not return it, and he was not a man to wear his heart on his sleeve. If any one had asked her about her opinion of Joe, she would have confessed frankly that she was almost as fond of him as of her father.

In the midst of a story of the plains which he was telling for the twentieth time there was a loud rap on the door. Carter went to open it. A stranger stood on the threshold, a tall, slender, well made young fellow, wearing the garb of the city bred man.

"Is this Mr. Carter's place?" he asked. "That's my name, young feller. Will you come in?"

"I was told," said the newcomer as he complied with the invitation, "that I should find Mr. Bartlett here."

Joe came forward and offered his toil hardened hand to the stranger. "You are Mr. Ames, the superintendent's son, I guess. He wrote me you were coming up for a spell, but I didn't 'low we'd see you till the next stage. I am glad to see you, sir," he said heartily.

A certain indifference or indolence which seemed habitual vanished from the young man's face and manner. He held out his hand frankly.

"Thank you. I have come to rusticate. I have a bad reputation at home. It arises from a slight difference between the governor and myself. I am conscientiously opposed to work." He squared his shoulders and laughed. "I am supposed to take father's place here, but I have perfect confidence in you, Bartlett, and I shall take it as a favor if you will forget to remind me of the responsibilities of the situation." Again his boyish laugh rang out, and the others laughed in sympathy.

He was unmistakably a good deal of a dandy. His linen was as immaculate as it would have been in the city, and the hand from which a diamond flashed was as white and shapely as a woman's.

"We must be good friends, Bartlett," he continued, "for I want you to let me down easy on the labor problem. Dad wants to make life a treadmill for me."

A broad smile from his hearers greeted this statement. "I hope you know what work is, young feller," said Carter, his smile ending in an audible chuckle.

Clay Ames never knew what reply he made. His eyes for the first time had met Kitty's, and he forgot everything else but the tall slip of a girl with the wild rose face.

In less than a week everybody in camp knew that the superintendent's son was in love with Kitty Carter. Half the men in the camp were his rivals, but they all liked the young boss, who had made himself one of them from the first night of his arrival. Kitty's ways were maddening. If her willful heart favored any one, even her handsome city lover, she discreetly kept the knowledge to herself.

Joe Bartlett had just left the office

and was on his way to the mine. Looking up, he saw Kitty's flying figure speeding toward him. He knew at once that something was wrong. She was breathless, her lips were blanched and her eyes wild with terror.

"Kitty, what is it? Anything wrong at the mines?" he asked anxiously. She caught his arm to steady herself. "There's been a slide!" she gasped, "and Clay!"

A sob choked her voice, and the agony in her face went to Joe's heart like a knife stab. His face whitened. "Is Clay anything to you, Kitty?" he asked huskily.

"Everything—all the world to me," moaned Kitty. "My heart will break if he dies!"

Joe undressed her trembling fingers from his arm.

"Please heaven we won't let him die, dear," he said gently, and a moment later he was gone.

How the men worked to reach the death trap where six of their comrades were entombed until, exhausted, they were compelled to fall back, while others filled their places! How one man, tireless and determined, kept always at the head, never resting for a moment. To tell all this would make a story of itself.

Joe Bartlett inspired everybody and cheered and encouraged the despairing crowd that gathered about the entrance of the mine, and when, after hours of hard work, the last dividing wall of earth was penetrated and an opening made large enough for a man to enter, it was Joe Bartlett who, with no thought of his own danger, climbed through into the chamber beyond and one by one lifted the half dead men to those waiting on the outside to receive them.

Young Ames had been farthest back and was the last to be rescued. He was very weak, but he waved his hand feebly to the cheering crowd as Joe lifted him back to life and safety.

Through the opening in the wall of earth the excited, shouting crowd had a glimpse of a grimy, radiant face—Joe had caught sight of Kitty when she first saw Clay Ames—then there was a sickening sound as of muffled thunder, a horrible underground groaning, followed by a crash. A second slide had occurred and Joe Bartlett was buried beneath it.

For a second or two the crowd was awed into silence by the awfulness of the tragedy and then a cry of horror burst from a hundred throats. Women screamed and men grew white and covered up their eyes as if thus they might shut out the memory of the brave face that but a moment before had smiled at them from its grave. It was hopeless from the first.

Yet never did men work more heroically than the miners of Clear Creek camp for the next 12 hours to reach their comrade. Rough men most of them were, but they cried like babies when at last Joe's crushed body was lifted from under the debris and the light of day fell upon his unconscious face.

They carried him to his own cabin and laid him upon the bed. The bravest man in Clear Creek camp had given his life for his comrades, and the entire camp was in mourning.

Moonlight flooded the cabin where Joe lay. The smile which had illuminated his face in the last moment of his life still rested upon it. Two people—a man and a girl—stood beside him. The young man's arm was about the girl's face, and her face was hidden upon his breast.

"He was so good!" she sobbed. "He died for your sake and mine!"

"Yes, dear," said Ames gently, "he was the best and bravest man I have ever known." His arm tightened about her slender waist. "I am glad," he said huskily, "that he did not have a sweetheart."

"It would have killed her," whispered Kitty, laying her tear wet cheek against her lover's face. "But Joe did not care for women. I am sure he never loved any one."

And they never knew, for eternal silence had kissed the dead man's lips.—San Francisco Examiner.

## Counting Buttons.

In my early schooldays (1855-60) in Yorkshire we counted one another's buttons, after the fashion of sorts, according to the order "tinker, tailor, soldier, sailor, rich man, poor man, beggar man, thief." Sometimes "apothecary, plowboy," came in. The first time after my ordination that I went into Sunday school I noticed one little boy counting the buttons on my cassock from the bottom upward. Has anything been written about buttons? Whence such phrases as "Dash my buttons," "I don't care a button" and "He's got all his buttons on?" It is possible to have too many. It is related of some North American red men that they refused to listen to the teaching of an English missionary because he could not readily explain the existence of buttons on the back of his coat where they were of no use. Also there is the case of the Frenchman who committed suicide because life was all "buttoning and unbuttoning." As for their significance, we may instance the buttons of the mandarins and the sad history of Sir Walter Scott's school-fellow, whose wits went wool gathering when he missed the familiar button.—Notes and Queries.

## A Country of Clear Water.

About one-half of southern Alaska is water. The inlets and bays are so numerous as to be one of the wonders of the world. Both the salt water and fresh water are remarkably clear. Fish and other marine animals may be seen to the depth of 20 and 30 feet beneath the surface of the water. There are no sandy beaches and no tide flats. The timber comes down the water's edge. The waters are so cold that fish as well as shellfish are good throughout the year.—Kansas City Journal.

## Street Railway Run by a Girl.

Miss Fannie Hook, who was born at Jacksonville, Ill., and resided there until a few years ago, is a leading factor in the management of the street railway system of Los Angeles, Calif. Not only does she own a large block of the stock of the company, but she is a power in the councils of the board of directors, and her wishes always receive respectful attention, and her plans are generally adopted.

It is no exaggeration of the facts to represent Miss Hook as having her hands on the wires that move the men and women machines in the various departments of the traction system. She is a force, and a potent force, in the thing which is the system of the west, a system that has millions invested and millions more to invest. Yet it is doubtful if 100 persons in Los Angeles, where the traction lines have been running for many years, know of Miss Fannie Hook's share in the wonderful development of the traction company and its great prosperity.

The politicians at the City hall undertook to levy tribute upon the traction, but Miss Hook refused to disgorge a cent. They threatened a revocation of the franchise of the company, and Miss Hook told them to go ahead. At the same time she took good care to accommodate the patrons of the road and to extend its lines to parts of the town in need of rapid transit. As a result public feeling was aroused when the council undertook to annul the franchise and the aldermen took back water.

It is not known how much Miss Hook is worth, but she is classed among the richest residents of Los Angeles. She has three brothers, Marcus, Thomas and William. The last is associated with her in the management of the traction properties. He operated the street car lines of Jacksonville, owned an interest in the railway that ran out of Jacksonville and had an interest in another railway. His wife is very wealthy. Her money, it is said, is invested largely in the traction company's lines.

There are about 30 Jacksonville people employed by Miss Hook and her brother.

—New York News.

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Small Margaret had said her prayers and her mamma was tucking her in to leave her to her slumbers, when the child begged that mamma would not leave her alone. "Why, Margaret," said mamma, soothingly, but surprised at this unexpected demand, "you know you are never alone, for God is always with you."

"Yes," rejoined the small maiden, doubtfully, "I know. But, mamma, I'd rather have some of my own relations."—Edith Helen Wheeler, in Women's Home Companion.

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#### NEWTON CENTRE.

—Master Atherton Spalding is visiting at Hyannisport.  
—Miss Carrie Libby has returned from a vacation at Milford.  
—Mr. George Huntress of Westbourne road is in North Scituate.  
—Mr. J. E. McDonald of Paul street has returned from St. John, N. B.  
—Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Holt of Rice street have returned from Springfield.  
—The fall term began Thursday at the Newton Theological Institution.  
—Mr. W. B. Merrill and family of Lake terrace are home from Craigville.  
—Miss L. May Haven of Chase street has returned from Falmouth Heights.  
—Mr. W. M. Flanders and family of Lake terrace have returned from Craigville.  
—W. W. Webber and family returned this week to their home on Langley road.  
—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Greene have returned to their home on Chase street.  
—Mr. William Sullivan of Langley road has returned from a short trip to Maine.  
—Mr. I. R. Stevens and family of Crystal street have returned from Buzzards Bay.  
—Miss Freda Sanford returns the first of the week from a trip to Yarmouth, N. S.  
—Mrs. Louise Moore of Cypress street returns this week from a stay in Wellesley.  
—Letter-carrier M. J. Barry is covering his route again after his annual vacation.  
—Mr. Edward J. Thornton has been spending the past week visiting in Maine.  
—Rev. George H. Spencer of Pelham street has returned from New Hampshire.  
—Rev. Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Huntington are at Pine Island, Lake Winnepesaukee.  
—Mr. and Mrs. William B. Merrill of Lake avenue have returned from Craigville.  
—Mr. George Hobbs of Langley road left Saturday for a trip along the Maine coast.  
—Mr. H. A. Thayer and family of Moreland avenue are home from Laconia, N. H.  
—Mr. C. L. Bird and family of Pleasant street have returned from Freedom, N. H.  
—The Sunday school of the Methodist church will resume its sessions on Sunday.  
—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Darrell of Cypress street left on Saturday for Madison, N. H.  
—Mr. B. E. Taylor and family of Grant avenue returned on Tuesday from the Cape.  
—Mr. A. A. Tilney and family of Sumner street arrived Tuesday from Wolfboro, N. H.  
—Mr. A. L. Harwood and family of Beacon street have returned from Point Allerton.  
—Mr. A. R. Flanders and family of Norwood avenue have returned from Craigville.  
—Mr. W. J. O'Brien and family of Albion street have returned from Centre Hart or, N. H.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Peters are at their home on Centre street after a few weeks' at the shore.  
—Dr. G. W. Boynton and family of Gibbs street have returned from a summer at Minot.  
—Hon. Mr. Washburn is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. H. S. Williams of Centre street.  
—Mr. W. S. Crampton and family of Gratton street are back from a few weeks' vacation.  
—Mr. J. W. Barrows and family of Beacon street returned Tuesday from their vacation.  
—Mr. F. W. Matthews and family of Berwick park are at home after a two months' absence.  
—Mrs. Charles E. Thompson of Braeland avenue left Saturday for a trip to Boothbay, Me.  
—Rev. and Mrs. Everett D. Burr have returned from a two months' stay at Peterboro, N. H.  
—Hon. Albert L. Harwood has been re-appointed a member of the State Board of Insanity.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Moses W. Merrill of Beacon street have returned from a sojourn at Old Orchard.  
—Miss Belle Morrison of Beacon street left Wednesday for a month's visit in Montreal, Canada.  
—Prof. J. M. English and family of Beacon street have returned from a vacation at Swampscott.  
—Mr. John Wilson and family of Eastbourne road are at home from a stay at Kennebunk beach.  
—Mr. and Mrs. G. Wilbur Thompson of Everett street have been entertaining relatives the past week.  
—Mrs. Thomas G. Woodman is at her home on Boylston street after an extended stay in New Hampshire.  
—Carrier George B. Walker left Monday for his vacation which he will spend with Mrs. Walker in New Jersey.  
—Mr. W. G. Snow and family of Oxford road have returned from a three months' vacation at North Falmouth.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert D. Ward of Dudley street return today from their summer home in Gloucester.  
—Mr. S. G. Steeves and Miss Steeves of Elgin street have returned from a two weeks' trip through the provinces.  
—Mrs. Mary M. Rouse and family of Bowen street have returned from their summer outing at Old Orchard, Me.  
—Mr. Arthur Washburn has returned to his position with W. O. Knapp after an enjoyable stay at Hillsboro Bridge, N. H.  
—Mrs. Annie Rutledge and family of Hotel Boulevard, Commonwealth avenue, are spending a few weeks at Chichester, Vt.  
—Mr. O. N. Bean, who is taking a course of study at the Newton Baptist Theological Institution, has returned for the fall term.  
—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Henderson, who have been visiting Mrs. Henderson's parents on Gibbs street, have returned to Vermont.  
—Miss Blanche E. Henshaw of Paul street has accepted a position at the Williamette Normal Training School, Williamette, Conn.  
—Dr. Alfred S. Johnson, editor of "Current History," has been appointed a delegate to represent the New York society of Mayflower Descendants at the general Triennial Congress of Mayflower Descendants at Plymouth on September 15. He has also been elected a member of the Massachusetts Society.  
—A supposed hen thief visited the premises of Mr. A. H. Roffe 16 Cypress street at an early hour last Sunday morning. Mr. Roffe was aroused by a noise and upon looking out of the window saw a man leaving the hen house. He was not able to obtain a good look at the man and therefore could furnish the police with an incomplete description. The man took nothing.

—E. F. Keeler of Parker street has returned from Maine.  
—C. P. Clark has moved into his home on Pleasant street.  
—Thomas Peters and wife of Centre street have returned from Hull.  
—E. J. Henriks, driver of horse 3, has returned from Biddeford Pool.  
—B. T. Stevenson is occupying his new house on Commonwealth avenue.  
—W. E. Armstrong of Maple park has returned from New York and Holyoke.  
—J. W. Edmonds and family of Sumner street have returned to Boston.  
—Prof. J. M. English and family are home from a visit to Lynn.  
—The Bible school of the Methodist church will resume its sessions next Sunday.  
—E. A. Johnson and Carl Sylvester left today on a hunting and fishing trip in Maine.  
—Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Lahens of Marshall street have returned from Sugar Hill, N. H.  
—John Briggs and family of Parker street are at home after a sojourn at Chatham.  
—Prof. Charles Rufus Brown and Mrs. Brown have returned from a visit in Franklin, N. H.  
—S. A. Shannon and family of Lake avenue have returned from a summer's stay at Moultonauke, N. H.  
—Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Strout and family of Paul street have returned from North Scituate.  
—Mrs. C. A. Clark of Cypress street is at her home after a sojourn at Camden, Me.  
—W. H. Golden and family are at their home on Homer street after a summer at West Groton.  
—F. G. Day and wife of Pleasant street are back from a two weeks' trip to Mount Sunapee, N. H.  
—Mrs. E. H. Story of Pleasant street has returned from a visit to friends in Gloucester.  
—A. Wetherbee of Roxbury expects to move into his house, No. 24 Oxford road, this week.  
—Prof. and Mrs. W. N. Donovan of Ripley terrace returned Tuesday from South Lyndboro, N. H.  
—Joshua M. Dill and wife of Grant avenue were registered at the Grand Hotel, Rome, Italy, Aug. 23.  
—Fred N. Mears, who has been the guest of his mother on Pleasant street left this week for Sioux City, Iowa.  
—Mrs. Fanny G. Norton of Homer street has been enjoying a two weeks' trip through the White Mountains.  
—The installation of Prof. Rush Rhees, the new president of Rochester University, will take place on Oct. 11th.  
—Hon. and Mrs. A. L. Harwood and son of Beacon street returned this week from the Atlantic Club, Point Allerton.  
—Prof. and Mrs. Frank P. McKibbin of Newbury street arrived Tuesday from New London and other points in New Hampshire.  
—The Sunday school connected with the Methodist church is enjoying an excursion by electric to Lexington and Concord today.  
—Mrs. J. B. Wood and daughter of Homer street have returned from Concord, where they were the guests of Mrs. Bancroft.  
—Ask any business man or politician of either party where the best barber shop is and they will promptly answer Buras', Cole's block.  
—Mrs. E. A. Brown and family of Langley road returned Saturday from Haverhill, where they spent several weeks with relatives.  
—Mr. and Mrs. William Henderson have moved to Burlington, Vt., where Mr. Henderson will be one of the instructors in the schools.  
—E. Hosmer Hammond of Lake avenue returned to Chicago Wednesday, after spending the past month with his parents at Chatham.  
—The Newton Centre Golf Club links on Centre street are in constant use now. The club fixture card calls for games until the first week in November.  
—A. C. Walworth and family are occupying their Centre street residence after a sojourn trip to the Thousand Islands and other points in New York.  
—At the wedding of Miss Louise Ayer and Mr. Donald Gordon, held at Little Boar's Head, N. H., last Monday, Miss Louise Taylor of Beacon street, was the maid of honor.  
—At the Unitarian church next Sunday, Sept. 10, morning service will be resumed, conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. W. Wendte. Sunday school will re-open Sunday, Sept. 10.  
—Mr. A. H. Leonard and family of Paul street returned on Monday from their camp on Long Island, Lake Winnepesaukee, where they have been spending the past month.  
—Mr. Henry Haynie, who is president of the Cotuit Golf Club, is participating in the tournament being played this week on the club links. His score Tuesday was gross 94, handicap 0, net 94.  
—Mrs. J. A. Daniels, who made a new women's record of 40 on the links of the Newton Centre Golf Club some weeks ago, has recently bettered her score, having done the nine holes in 47, and last week in 45.  
—Mr. H. Wilson Ross, the superintendent of the Newton cemetery, will start on Sunday to attend the annual convention of the American Association of Cemetery Superintendents, to be held in Cleveland, O., on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. Mr. Ross holds the positions of secretary and treasurer of the association.  
—Miss E. E. Hood of Centre street is spending two weeks at the Pavilion Montpelier, Vt.  
—Mr. Andrew M. Kistler and family of Beacon street are back from a trip to Pennsylvania.  
—Henry F. Colwell and family of Glenwood avenue have returned from a trip to Swampscott.  
—Mrs. R. B. Everett and the Misses Everett of Parker street have returned from Nantucket.  
—The Misses G. M. Everts and N. M. Taylor of Ripley terrace have returned from a short visit in Sharon.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Charles of Chicago are the guests of Mrs. Charles's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Williams of Warren street.  
—Walter G. Forsyth of Parker street left this week for Pennsylvania, where he will have charge of the library at Lafayette College.  
—Advertised letters in the post office for Mrs. F. M. Burns, Lydia Ferry, S. Gallant, Mrs. Rebecca Glover, Beth Greenlaw, Mary Hudson, Mrs. Lyons, Mrs. Charles W. Norris, Lucy A. Read 24 Brookline street.

#### Farmers' and Cattle Owners' Reunion.

The second field day of Farmers' and Cattle Owners' association will be held at Wauwinn farm, West Newton, next Monday. An elaborate program has been prepared, and it is expected that there will be a large number of guests.

#### NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—A. S. C. Hilton and family have arrived home.  
—Mr. Salmon and daughter have returned from a few days at Natick.  
—Mrs. J. F. C. Hyde has gone to Pigeon Cove for a few days.  
—The Peckham family have been spending a few days at Natick.  
—Misses Forbes and Peckham have returned from Worcester.  
—Miss Treadwell is entertaining Miss Hill of Concord, N. H.  
—The L. K. Brigham family have returned from their summer outing.  
—Folkies, the florist, is having a new potting house added to his greenhouses.  
—G. B. Lapham and family of Hyde street have arrived home from Sandwich.  
—Mrs. Sweetzer of Griffin avenue is entertaining Miss Wentworth of Dedham.  
—Greenwood's Real Estate Agency has money to loan on mortgage of real estate.  
—E. Everett Bird and family have returned from their summer home in Maine.  
—Miss McAdams of Centre street, who has been absent on a summer outing, is at home.  
—Miss Sarah Thompson of Hartford street has returned to her school at New Salem.  
—George A. Moore and wife have returned from the summer at Little Deer Isle, Me.  
—James Adams and wife of Upper Falls have moved to the Colburn house on Lincoln street.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Nagel are the guests of Mrs. Nagel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Scott Richards.  
—Mrs. Shaw has returned from a short stay at Pittsfield accompanied by Mrs. Johnson of that city.  
—Mrs. Minerva C. Stone and son of Duncklee street are home again after an absence of several weeks.  
—E. R. Tarbell and family, after an absence of several weeks in New Hampshire, are home again.  
—S. C. Cobb and wife and Mrs. Logan and daughter have returned from their stay at the Rangeley Lakes.  
—The Rust family, who have been spending a few days in Brookline, have returned to their home on Centre street.  
—The Keeler family of Rockledge, who have been spending a month at Vineyard Haven, are at their home again.  
—Mrs. Davis and her two sons of Elliot, who have been away summering, have arrived at their home on Lincoln street.  
—Capt. J. Hardy, who has been the guest of his son, George F. Hardy of Floral avenue, has left for his home in San Domingo.  
—H. Lane and wife of Dickerman road announced the engagement of their daughter Mabel to Mr. Ray T. Wells of Foxboro.  
—Mrs. Peavey has let one of her houses on Floral avenue to E. Deming from Massachusetts avenue, who with his wife now occupies the same.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Hale are receiving congratulations from their friends on the birth of a nine-pound boy. Mother and child are doing well.  
—L. S. Brigham and wife, who went to Maine for their wedding trip, after an absence of three or four weeks are now at their new home on Hartford street.  
—Mr. H. E. Shaw of Floral avenue has returned from a fishing and camping trip in the Maine woods. His brother, E. W. Shaw, will remain a few weeks longer.  
—L. Q. Herrington and family have moved from the house at corner of Centre and Walnut streets to the house which was the home of the late Miss Josephine Hyde on Centre street.  
—The hearing before the board of aldermen on the petition of the Newton & Boston Street Railway company for a turn out in the square of this village will be on Monday evening, Sept. 10, at 7:45 o'clock.  
—Mr. C. W. Leadbeater, who is soon to visit this place under the auspices of the Dharma branch, T. S., is an able exponent from first hand knowledge of Occultism as well as Theosophy.  
—The regular weekly meetings of Dharma branch, T. S., are to be adjourned for a few weeks subject to the call of the secretary. This is to give opportunity for rest and recuperation to those who have worked this summer and to prepare them for larger activity the coming winter.

#### AUBURDALE.

—Mr. Eliot Barrows Dammer of Washington street is at Morey Lake, Fairlee, Vt.  
—Mr. Benjamin F. Butler of Auburn street has returned from a trip to New York.  
—Miss Alice Maude Smithers has returned to Lasell Seminary after a six weeks' trip to Halifax, N. S.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Darling of Grove street will have the sympathy of their many friends in the loss of their young daughter, Esther Russell Darling on Sunday.  
—Lasell Seminary opens its forty-ninth year next Thursday, Sept. 13th, with its usual, as usual, full to overflowing. On Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, following a custom that has grown up with recent years, Col. Homer B. Sprague will give the first lecture on Shakespeare's Julius Caesar. Friends are welcome.  
**A Novelty in Water Supply.**  
Mr. C. C. Butler, the enterprising proprietor of the Woodland Park Hotel, has succeeded, at great expense in securing an apparently inexhaustible supply of exceptionally pure water for use in his hotel, by sinking an eight inch artesian well, to a depth of 108 feet, 153 feet of which is solid ledge.  
The pumps have been running now for about ten days, with a supply of 55 gallons per minute, and water being used for everything about laundry purposes.

#### Newton Centre Semi-Finals.

At the new permanent course of the Newton Centre Golf Club, Wednesday, several of the matches in the semi-finals and finals of the Labor Day cup tournament were played off, as follows:  
Class A—Semi-finals, W. M. Noble beat T. W. Whitehead, 5 up, 4 to play; Percy Gilbert beat W. B. Merrill, 5 up, 6 to play. Finals—Gilbert beat Noble, 5 up, 4 to play.  
Class B—Semi-finals, J. A. Daniels beat G. W. Pratt, 3 up, 1 to play; F. H. Bailey beat J. P. Greene, 4 up, 2 to play.  
Class C—Semi-finals, F. H. Hovey beat H. M. Bisbee, 8 up, 6 to play; G. E. Gilbert beat J. L. Foster, 3 up, 2 to play.  
The finals in classes B and C will be completed this afternoon.

#### Grace Church Choir.

The choirmaster will be at the Guild hall on Saturday mornings from 9 to 11 o'clock during September, to examine boys voices. There are several vacancies to be filled with boys possessing excellent voices.

#### Mayor Wilson Approves "Old Home Week."

Taken from the Boston Globe's daily symposium on "Old Home Week" in Massachusetts is the following interesting communication from Mayor Wilson of this city. He says:  
"It would be well for Massachusetts to fall in line with other New England states and establish 'Old Home Week,' for several reasons. First, as we are the most important New England state, it is proper that we should be in the van of progress, and, therefore, be found giving countenance to any course that tends to advance or elevate the moral and financial well-being of our state. Further, our sons and daughters gone forth to other fields are worthy children of a noble state, and we should be justly proud of their achievements, and spare no pains to give them a year's homecoming commensurate with their worth. In this way the home ties would be strengthened and bind them closer to their childhood haunts. The financial benefit that would accrue by a yearly influx of distant sons and daughters would be of intrinsic value, especially to the smaller towns scattered throughout our commonwealth. These places would perceptibly feel the new life and animation that the yearly gathering would infuse into their veins."  
**August Mortality Statement.**  
There were 46 deaths in this city during August according to the mortality statistics prepared by the board of health. The rate per thousand was 20.00. Of the entire number 24 were males and 22 females, sixteen were under 1 year and 3 over eighty years. There were 9 deaths more in August of this year than during the same month last year. On hand Sept. 6 cases of diphtheria, 5 of scarlet fever and 4 of typhoid fever.

#### NEWTON CLUB.

While many of the members are yet absent from the city, the Newton Club is rapidly assuming its usual appearance of activity. The club's entertainment committee already have the list of fall and winter fixtures well in hand and have promised the members an unusually brilliant season. The season will open early in October, but it is expected that the list of fixtures will be issued before the end of the present month. A large number of house tournaments have been provided and an attractive list of entertainments which will appeal to every member of the club. A feature this year will be the putting into the field of the strongest bowling team that has yet been formed in the club. Mr. F. W. Pray will captain the team. The whist team this year will, also, be an unusually strong one. The entertainment committee this year consists of Messrs. Samuel W. Manning, H. A. Priest and Morton E. Cobb.

#### NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—A new furnace is being placed in the Wade school under direction of Commissioner Eiler.  
—Miss Ada Temperley has accepted a position as bookkeeper at the Prospect Co-operative society.  
—Mr. John Temperley has hired the house on Chestnut street recently vacated by his brother Albert. He and his sister Ada will reside there.  
**Buck-Allen.**  
Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the J. T. Allen residence on Washington street, West Newton, Miss Annie Kittredge Allen daughter of the late James T. Allen, was married to Mr. Seaver Buck of Tarrytown-on-the-Hudson, N. Y.  
Owing to the recent death of the bride's father there was only a small company of relatives and immediate friends present. Rev. Francis Tiffany of Cambridge, former pastor of the West Newton Unitarian church, was the officiating clergyman.  
Mr. and Mrs. Buck left last evening on a wedding tour and will reside at Hackley Hall, Tarrytown-on-the-Hudson, N. Y.

#### Death of Washington Warren.

A well-known Newton citizen, Mr. Washington Warren, died in Chatham, Mass., on Thursday morning. Mr. Warren has been a familiar figure on Newton streets for many years. For nearly thirty years he was engaged in the wholesale grocery business in Boston, which is now conducted by Hyde & Silverworth, 81 Broad street, for nearly twenty years being a partner in the firm. He was a very active member of the Methodist Episcopal church of this place and was a man remarkable for his strict business integrity and high moral character. Mr. Warren was 81 years of age at the time of his death and had been in active business until within a few months. The immediate cause of his death was a shock of apoplexy, which occurred about four weeks since. The funeral services will be held in the Methodist church, Newton, at 2:30 Saturday afternoon.

#### Thomas-Patten.

A large company of society folk witnessed the marriage of Miss Isabel M. Patten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Patten of Crescent avenue, Newton Centre, to Mr. Percy H. Thomas of Boston, which took place last evening at 7:30 in the First Baptist church of Newton Centre.  
The interior of the church was greatly beautified with elaborate floral decorations and completely filled with guests.  
Rev. Mr. St. John of Boston performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. Everett D. Burr, pastor of the First Baptist church of Newton Centre.  
The bride was gowned in white silk mull, trimmed with real lace, and she carried a bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley. Her attendants were Miss E. R. Boyce of Pittsboro, Pa., and the bride's sister, Mrs. Francis C. Drake of Bridgewater.  
Mr. Winthrop Thomas of Wyoming, Pa., brother of the groom, was best man. The ushers were Messrs. Francis C. Drake, John Mallet, Dwight E. Webster, Robert M. Clarke, William P. Flint and C. G. Atwater.  
There was a reception after the ceremony and later Mr. Thomas and his wife left on a wedding tour. They will reside in Pittsburg, Pa.

#### Woodland Park Hotel.

The following is the list of arrivals at the Woodland Park Hotel:  
E. B. Chandler and wife, San Antonio Texas; Miss M. A. Lane, San Antonio Texas; W. E. Whitney and wife, Boston Mass.; Geo. H. Converse and wife, Cambridge, Mass.; Prescott Keyes and wife, Concord, Mass.; Mrs. Franklin Smith, Boston Mass.; Mrs. M. E. Howe, Boston Mass.; Thos. J. Kelly and wife, Brookline; R. H. Rines, Boston; Harry D. Priest and wife, Auburndale; Geo. J. Martin and wife, Auburndale, have returned after spending their vacation at the beach.  
Col. and Mrs. Frank B. Stevens and family of Newton, C. E. Steere, wife and family of Brookline, and Seth A. Rabbett, City Treasurer of Newton, have engaged apartments for the winter.  
W. O. Blaney and Miss Blaney of Boston, are later arrivals.  
Labor Day about 35 members of the Cambridge Banking Association had dinner here. There was also a tallyho party of 14 from Everett, who took supper.  
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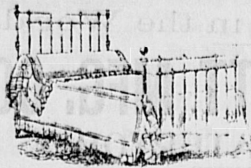
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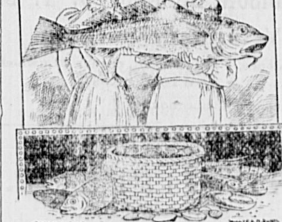
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—Read the Allen School advertisement, page 7.

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—The barber at 289 Washington street is very accommodating. Try him.

—Mr. James D. Kinsley and family of Waverley avenue have returned from Maine.

—Dr. H. C. Spencer returned this week from a month's tour of Canada and the Provinces.

—Mrs. George S. Harwood and her son, Mr. John Harwood of Ivanhoe street, have returned.

—Be sure and attend the auction sale of furniture at 291 Washington street, Saturday night at 7.30.

—Mr. E. R. Burbank has returned to the Hotel Hunnewell after a long vacation in New Hampshire.

—George Lane and wife of Elmwood street left yesterday for Norfolk, Va., and points in the West.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. I. Howell of Newtonville arrived from Europe, Tuesday of this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Murray Quimby have opened their home on Elmwood street after a summer's absence.

—Mrs. A. C. Bailey of Hunt street is enjoying a two weeks visit with friends at Providence and Newport.

—Mr. Oscar J. Locke and wife of Newtonville have moved into one of the Bridges houses on Charlesbank road.

—Rev. and Mrs. George Hood of Cambridge are the guests this week of Mrs. Charles E. Eddy of Franklin street.

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—Mrs. Gardner O. North of Elmwood street returned on the New England last Friday from an extended tour of Europe.

—Rev. Samuel Lane Loomis and family are stopping at the Hunnewell for a few days prior to their removal to Jamaica Plain.

—Mr. Burdett P. Mansfield has given up his real estate business to accept a responsible position with a large manufacturing company.

—Mr. W. H. S. Pearce and family of Newtonville avenue have returned from Walpole, where they were the guests of Mr. Pearce's parents.

—Mr. H. C. Hardon and wife announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret, to Mr. James Hayden Wright of Detroit, Mich., Harvard.

—Mr. J. A. Whipple of Richardson street has returned from Europe, where he visited Rome, the Paris Exposition and other points of interest.

—Mr. Howard R. Mason and wife and Mrs. Lucy J. Lawton of Franklin street spent at North Falmouth.

—Messrs. Francis E. and Freeland O. Stanley, who are assignors to the Stanley Automobile company, have been granted a patent on a motor vehicle.

—Miss N. L. Lynch of the Elite Millinery parlors is on a business trip to New York and will return with the latest millinery novelties in a week's time.

—Mr. L. T. Burr and daughter, Mrs. H. W. Hardon, are enjoying a trip through Canada. Mr. Burr is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hardon of Copley street.

—Mr. Norman Farquhar of New York has returned through the agency of Aban, Trowbridge & Co., the house 37 Wesley street, and will occupy the first of the month.

—Next Sunday evening at the Methodist church Rev. Mr. Grose will begin a series of four sermons. "The Soul's Cry, or Things First." First topic, "The Soul's Cry, or Things First."

—The Misses Louise E. and Agnes B. Trowbridge will resume pianoforte and violin instruction Sept. 24th, 1900. Residence, 15 Peabody street. Only very best systems taught.

—Mr. Fred A. Hubbard, president of the State Pharmaceutical Association, is out of town this week attending the convention of the National Retail Druggist Association in Detroit. Mr. Hubbard is also a guest of the Vinet Company in Toledo.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Bush have issued cards for the marriage of their daughter, Sarah Mayde, to Mr. Harry Edwin Tucker, Monday evening, Sept. 24th, at 7 o'clock. It is to be a family wedding only relatives and a few intimate friends being invited.

—There is only one ladies hairdressing parlor in Newton and that is Mrs. L. P. Elliott-Anderson's. Here ladies are coming to prepare for parties, weddings or receptions can be served just as well as going to Boston. Ladies can be waited on at their residence if they desire.

—Music in Grace church, Sunday night: Processional, "I heard the sound of voices."

Magnificat. "Crucifixus"

Agnus Dei. "The Heavens Proclaim Him"

Beethoven

Retrospection, "Christ is made the pure"

—Mr. J. Eliot Trowbridge, organist and director of music, Methodist Episcopal church, Newton Centre, has just published through the Oliver Ditson Company, Boston, a second series of 20 short Vocal Responses, for use in Church Services, after prayer.

—Mr. Trowbridge has also completed a new cantata, entitled "The Peace of Jerusalem," for Solo and Quartette or Chorus.

### Political News.

A list of the election officers nominated by Mayor Wilson for the coming election will be found in another column.

Alderman W. F. Dana and ex-Alderman Geo. P. Bullard will undoubtedly receive the representative nominations by acclamation.

There will be a meeting in Lincoln hall, Newton Highlands, this evening, for the purpose of organizing a Social Democratic party in this city.

The neighboring city of Waltham is having a hot time politically, with the Clark-Johnson congressional fight, and several candidates for the legislature.

In another column will be found the full list of delegates to the various Republican caucuses as filed with Sec'y Hatfield of the ward and city committee last Tuesday.

The Seventh Middlesex Representative District in Somerville has ten candidates for three nominations. The situation is somewhat similar in the First Middlesex Senatorial District, in which Newton is located.

The Newton Democratic ward and city committee met Wednesday evening in the rooms of the Jefferson club at Newtonville. It was voted to hold Democratic caucuses in this city on Thursday evening, Sept. 27.

Ex-representative John M. Merriam of South Framingham is mentioned as a possible candidate for senator, and the news is received with much favor by those who know of Mr. Merriam's character and ability.

Arkansas, Vermont and Maine have opened the presidential campaign, with election of state officers, and Republicans and Democrats are both mightily encouraged by the results. It all depends upon the point of view.

The Brighton Mirror announces that Mr. Theodore P. Dresser has been persuaded to enter the field of the 9th Suffolk district as a candidate against Senator L. W. Ross. Mr. Ross is a brother to Messrs. Cass. W. and Henry F. Ross of this city.

While Alderman Warren's friends were greatly pleased with the manner in which his candidacy for the House was received, it was deemed advisable, in view of the short time left in which to obtain the lists of delegates in his favor, to postpone pushing the matter until some other year.

The Republican committee of the 3rd Council District organized last Saturday with Mr. John Campbell of East Boston as chairman, and Mr. Joseph H. Cullis of Boston as secretary. There is no opposition to the renomination of Hon. Henry D. Yerxa of Cambridge, the present incumbent.

The President's letter of acceptance has received all kinds of comments by our exchanges, from the charge of using words of doubtful meaning, as intimated by the Springfield Republican to the fulsome eulogy of the Philadelphia Press, which says that "No better record of stewardship has been made by an American President."

The Democrats of Auburndale will meet in McVicar's hall next Tuesday night to form a Bryan Club for campaign purposes. The district is aroused to the necessity of a Democratic Club, and it is likely to result in a strong organization. Among the speakers who will help make the evening successful are William H. Butler, George W. Washburne and other well known Democrats.

Mr. Samuel L. Powers spoke at Knights of Honor hall, Roslindale, last Saturday evening, at Highland hall, West Roxbury, on Thursday evening, and will address his Jamaica Plain and Forest Hills friends in Curtis hall, this evening. The Brookline Suburban thinks that "a large amount of the enthusiasm for Mr. Powers is Democratic in its origin," and says that "the Democrats of the district generally are anxious for his nomination, for the reason that he can easily be beaten by a more experienced and better fitted Democratic candidate."

Governor Nash of Ohio thus wittily describes the Democratic party: "It has occurred to me that nature designed the leaders of the Democratic party for actors. From my observation I am led to believe that even in this profession they are qualified only to be comedians. In 1896 they put a play upon the boards which might well be called 'A Comedy of Errors.' American people could forget the mistakes of the first error was to suppose that the American people could forget the mistakes of the preceding three years, and that they did not know the cause of these troubles. The next error presented was their belief that our people were not in favor of a sound financial policy."

"Those leaders are now ashamed of their performances in 1896 and seek to have them forgotten. This season they have put a new play upon the boards, and it ought to bear the good old title, 'Much Ado About Nothing.' They call it 'Imperialism.'"

"Until Congress provides some sort of government for this acquired territory it becomes the duty of the President of the United States to maintain peace and order and to protect life and property therein. This he has done for the last year and a half, nothing more, nothing less."

### Opening of Schools.

The census of the public schools has not yet been reported, but indications point to an even greater number of enrollments than last year, when there was an increase of 13 per cent.

At Thompsonville there was an unusual number of applicants on Monday, but all were accommodated. The city government has been asked to relieve the overcrowded conditions and immediate action seems necessary.

The changes at the Waban building were probably responsible for the large assembly of pupils for whom accommodations were readily found.

In the Franklin, Davis, Eliot and Bigelow districts the numbers of pupils exceeded expectations. All are provided for, however.

It is expected the new Bigelow building will be ready for occupancy within four weeks.

For several years the Williams school at Auburndale has been totally inadequate and this year there were more than was expected. Relief in that section is certainly imperative.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Wheeler of Eldridge street have returned from Allerton.

—Rev. Geo. H. Young of Lawrence will preach at the Channing church next Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Gilman of Elmwood street have returned from a trip to New Hampshire.

—Mrs. E. B. Hitchcock has rented her house and leaves tomorrow for Orange, N. J., for a long visit with her sister.

—Mr. and Mrs. John C. Chaffin and Miss Chaffin of Vernon street have returned from a trip to the White Mountains.

—John T. Burns has rented a house on Maple street to Mrs. Danforth of Newtonville avenue, and the house and stable 143 Pearl street to Mr. Melvin I. Cox.

## SWEPT ALL.

Freakish Wind Wrought Havoc.

Trees Down, Wires Tangled and Lights Out.

It is no mere figure of speech to say that everybody in Newton bit the dust on Wednesday, when the fag end of the southern hurricane reached Newton.

All day long the fiftful gusts distorted the usual and not inharmonious humdrum of daily routine into the most discordant and unerring ragtime. To make your way along the streets, whatever your errand, you were forced to battle with the lusty winds, which bore heavy clouds of dust, and to hang on to your hat with both hands.

No one here attempted to estimate the velocity of Wednesday's heavy wind, yet it is said to have attained at times a speed of 45 miles an hour, while it sauntered leisurely, part of the time, at a rate of 15 miles in 60 minutes.

The greatest sufferers were the trees. Some venerable elms and maples were sacrificed, while fruit trees were easy marks for the swift southwest.

Wires and poles of the telephone and electric light companies fell before the terrific wind. There was no end of damage in this direction and the men have been busy ever since making needed repairs.

The electric light service was crippled to such an extent that a greater part of the city was in darkness Wednesday night. Incandescents held out fairly well, but the arc lights made but little show. It was very difficult to locate the breaks at night, yet the faithful linemen did the trick. A sample of the state of affairs is given by a look at the police blotter at headquarters, West Newton, where, on Wednesday, three pages of the big book were filled with items of wires down, lights out and trees damaged.

In many orchards the fall crops had been gathered prior to Wednesday, yet considerable damage was done by the high winds. Street signs, store signs, chimneys and window glass all fell before the furious wind.

On Cole's block, Newton, a tin roof was removed from its fastenings by the gale, and a false chimney on the house of Hon. H. E. Hibbard, Washington street, was blown to the ground. Woodward street, Waban, and Mt. Vernon street, Newtonville, received the brunt of the gale, large trees, poles and wires falling in every direction.

During the afternoon there was a serious brush fire on the Hill estate, off Dedham street, Oak Hill, and the men were kept bustling in their battle with fire and wind.

### MRS. TURNER'S HEROISM.

DESCENDED A DEEP WELL AND RESCUED A CHILD WHOSE LIFE WAS SAVED BY HER PROMPTNESS.

The brave act of Mrs. Philip Turner of Newton Centre, who, on Monday morning, risked her own life to save a child, has excited much comment, and there is much praise heard for her in different parts of the city. The circumstances as reported show that Mrs. Turner is more than 50 years old and weighs fully 200, yet neither her age nor weight prevented her from descending a well of 15 feet and rescuing from three feet of water the three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Mullen of Newton Centre.

The Mullen child was playing near the house of Mrs. Desmond, which adjoins his own home. Mrs. Desmond had been drawing water from a well, and unintentionally left the cover off.

The little fellow had been walking about when he came upon the uncovered well. His curiosity prompted him to look closer and he was gazing into the water below when he lost his balance and fell forward into the water.

Mrs. Desmond screamed when she saw what had happened, and her cries aroused the neighborhood.

Among the number who rushed to the scene was Mrs. Mullen. She would have thrown herself in had they not prevented her. Mrs. Philip Turner was drawn to the spot by Mrs. Desmond's calls. Someone started to find a man. Mrs. Turner decided to enter the well herself, and with assistance procured a ladder.

The ladder was lowered into the bottom of the well and Mrs. Turner started to descend it. In diameter the well would measure more than 2 1/2 feet. In addition, a pipe runs at the side of the interior of the well and this increased the difficulty with which Mrs. Turner was forced to contend.

Slowly the woman made her way down the ladder. Twice the narrowness of her position made it seem as though she would have to turn back, but she did not, and finally reached the bottom, from which she dragged the half-drowned child.

He was resuscitated and in the afternoon was skipping about apparently none the worse for his experience.

—Mrs. Samuel Wright Simpson of Willard street, state superintendent of the W. C. T. U. Flower Mission, has received from Harvard University a letter of thanks and appreciation for the work which the Flower Mission did for the Cuban teachers. The letter states that of all the courtesies extended by the American people, none were more appreciated than the efforts of the Mission.

—At the residence of Mr. J. Wesley Barber on Summit street, Wednesday afternoon and evening, a very successful and well attended lawn party was given for the benefit of the Epworth League connected with the Methodist church. The candy table was in charge of Miss Helen Blackwell and Miss Alice Bigelow; the crockery table, Mr. George F. Barber, and the refreshment table, Mrs. H. S. Leonard. Attractive features in the evening were the fine display of Japanese lanterns, and selections by an orchestra.

### Driver Injured, Carriage Wrecked.

While Mr. Charles A. Adams of Fair Oaks avenue, Newtonville, was driving on High street, Waltham, last Monday morning, his horse became frightened and ran away. Mr. Adams and a companion named Harrington were thrown out. Mr. Adams sustained a fracture of the left leg and a bad shaking up. Harrington was bruised somewhat. The horse continued with the carriage to Newtonville where it came into collision with a heavy wagon at the corner of Highland avenue and Walnut street. The lighter vehicle was badly wrecked.

### Discharged from the Army.

Joseph Lawrence, said to be a resident of this city, was discharged from the U. S. army on Wednesday for desertion. Lawrence enlisted Oct. 17, 1896, and in about six months became tired of the life of a soldier and deserted. He gave himself up to Boston authorities last week, saying he preferred to face the music rather than travel about under a cloud.



## CITY GOVERNMENT.

Opening Session Monday Evening was a Busy One,  
And it was Interesting.

Water Construction Account Credited with Reservoir Sale Proceeds  
of Sixty Thousand Dollars.

The board of aldermen met for its first regular session last Monday evening, since vacation, President Daily in the chair and Aldermen Chesley, Dana, Fisher, Fitzpatrick, Hutchinson, Lohp, Lowell, Lyman, Norris, Pond, Palsler, Stickney, Trowbridge, Wardwell, Warren, Weed, Weeks and Weed being present.

## HEARINGS.

A hearing was announced upon taking land for sewer purposes on Morton street. Mr. Wm. B. Young said that this sewer was to be extended to meet the wishes of but one person, and that as the sewer assessments on one side would be in the neighborhood of \$700 and on the other about \$1000, he would decidedly object. Mr. Frank Pope also entered an objection. Hearing closed.

At the hearing on the petition of the Newton & Boston Street Railway Co. for location on Lincoln street, Newton Highlands, President Parker stated that this petition and the one of the Newtonville & Watertown Street Railway Co. for turnout on Watertown street, were presented in order to enable the road to make a fifteen minute schedule between Needham and Watertown, and for which many requests had been received. The company is now using a twenty minute schedule. Walnut street should be double tracked, but as that seems impossible, the proposed turnouts are necessary. Petitions for turnouts in various other locations had been refused by preceding boards, and the proposed location seemed as unobjectionable as any. The fountain in the square would have to be moved to such point as the board desired, at the expense of the company.

George H. Mellen, Esq., appeared in behalf of the Newton Highlands Improvement Association, and presented a remonstrance signed by fifty-two citizens against granting the location in Newton Highlands square. Mr. Mellen said in part that the square was not large enough for the double tracks; that Newton Highlands does not need it, and that he objected to having their rights interfered with for the benefit of the Upper Falls and Needham. He decidedly objected to the removal of the fountain.

Dr. C. H. Newhall claimed to be the principal sufferer, as he proposed to improve his property, abutting directly upon the proposed turnout, in the near future. His tenants objected to it, and as he had already given 450 feet of land for the widening of Lincoln street he did not think it was fair to place this turnout in front of his property.

Mr. Wm. B. Wood said he was very sorry to have the area of the square encroached upon any more, and felt that the city should not receive accommodations they should from the street railway even with its present facilities.

Ex-Alderman Thomas White said that Newton Highlands people had been for the land necessary to widen the square after the city government had refused to do so, and asked the board not to take away what they had bought and paid for. He thought the square was too narrow for a turnout, and that the street railway company was making a good trade by removing six feet of fountain for 220 feet of turnout. Hearing closed.

No one appeared at the hearing announced upon petition of the Newtonville & Watertown Street Railway Co. for location for turnout at Watertown street.

At the hearing announced upon the proposed re-location of Washington street at the Lower Falls, Edward B. Davis, Esq., representing Mrs. Helen E. Freeman and Mrs. Kate S. Harrison, said that his clients did not consent to the proposed plan.

Upon request of Alderman Lyman, the chairman of the high way committee, Alderman Lohp stated that two years ago, Washington street was widened by the board, but that no work had been done. This widening would probably involve heavy land damages, and this year's committee had asked the city engineer to revise the plans. This had been done by the action of the committee, and this hearing had been ordered. He had been advised however, by the City Solicitor, not to take further action until the two year's time limit on the original widening had elapsed. Alderman Lyman claimed that this was simply a subterfuge on the part of a few to kill the widening of Washington street at the Lower Falls and at his request the Solicitor Slocum appeared before the board and answered the questions of Alderman Lyman. The hearing was then closed.

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM MAYOR.

A list of nominations for election officers for 1900-01 was submitted by the mayor and laid over until the next meeting.

The mayor sent in a veto message upon the order appropriating \$1900 for payment of assessments to be levied on account of the Metropolitan Park, taking the ground that appropriations should not be made until the assessment has actually been made, and stating that the City Treasurer would probably be able to pay the assessment from excess receipts in the treasury.

Upon motion of Alderman Dana, the veto was referred to the committee on finance. A veto was received from the mayor of the order appropriating \$850 for purchase of land at Chestnut Hill for school and fire purposes, on the ground that it is not desirable to locate a fire station and a school house on the same lot, and also on account of the large expense involved in constructing a new street off Hammond street.

Alderman Lowell stated that as the order in question was chargeable to the tax levy of 1900 which had already been levied, it was practically outlawed at the present time, and that he would introduce another order later in the evening on the same subject. The veto was then sustained unanimously.

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Requesting additional appropriation of \$500 for temporary location of Bigelow school pupils; requesting additional appropriation of \$85 for conveyance of pupils to Jan. 1, 1901, favorable to securing site for schoolhouse at Chestnut Hill, between Beacon street and Commonwealth avenue, and requesting special appropriation to provide temporary accommodations for next school year for surplus of pupils in the Williams school district were referred to the committee on finance.

Communications requesting erection of a modern 12 room and a hall building on present site of the Wade school; requesting an addition of four rooms to the Thompsonville school house, and requesting proper accommodations for primary and kindergarten pupils on east side of West Newton Hill, were referred to the committee on public property.

The request of the school committee for appropriations of \$350 for furnishing and \$250 for payment of salaries to January 1st to enable them to immediately establish a kindergarten in the Peirce school was

laid upon the table at the suggestion of Alderman Weeks, who desired action to be taken at this session on an order he proposed to introduce.

A communication from the street commissioner relative to application by the town of Watertown for sewer connection with house of George C. Dunne, Boyd street, was referred to the sewer committee.

## PETITIONS.

Referred to street light committee—Blaney, et al. for light at Neighborhood Club, Berkeley street, West Newton; N. L. Greene for light on Pleasant street, Newton Centre; Dr. Geo. E. May for light at 561 Commonwealth avenue, Newton Centre; Rogers, et al. for lights on Pierce street, Newton Highlands.

Referred to street light committee and hearings ordered before the committee on Sept. 10th at 7:45 p. m.—Petitions of New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. for attachments on Seminary avenue, Auburndale; for attachments on Cypress street, Newton Centre; for attachments on Grove street, Ward 4; for attachments on Newtonville avenue, Ward 2; for locations for three poles on Harvard street, Newtonville; for location for three poles on Fountain street, West Newton; for location for five poles on Ripley street, Newton Centre; for location for nine poles on Cabot street, Newtonville, and for locations for ten poles on Chestnut street, Waban; petitions of N. & W. Gas Light Co. for locations for ten poles on Lake avenue, two on Lakewood road and two on Crystal street, Newton Centre, and for attachments on Homer street.

Referred to license committee: Petitions of Michele Malizia for hurdy gurdy; Antonio Bontempo for wagon; Wm. Leonard and Benj. Winestine for junk; C. F. Chase, 1239 Centre street, West Newton; Michele Fucini for drum and accordion; Antonio Banetta for drum and bag pipe; Brennan and King, Newton Centre, one additional pool table, and Chas. F. Chase, for intelligence office, Newton Centre.

Referred to highway committee: Petitions of Hon. Wm. Clavin for widening of culvert, Walnut street, Newtonville; Mary F. Haskell for sidewalk on Paul street, Newton Centre; of Estabrook, et al. for crosswalk, Central street and Woodland road, Auburndale; of Burrage, et al. for sidewalk on Sterling street, West Newton; of M. W. Little for sidewalk on Oxford road, Newton Centre; of Samuel Woodman for acceptance of Deerfield and Old Orchard roads, Chestnut Hill; of Holmes, et al. for street watering on North Prospect street, West Newton; and of Green, et al. for street watering on North School street, Newton.

Referred to sewer committee: Petitions of John McLean, Derby street, West Newton, for water to replace well drained by sewer construction; of Thos. M. Holden for sewer in Morsell and avenue, Newton Centre; of E. B. Burden for sewer in Commonwealth avenue, Newton Centre; of Jones, et al. for sewer in Dexter road or Hull street, Newtonville; and of M. H. Gulesian for sewer in Commonwealth avenue, Chestnut Hill.

Petitions of P. E. Gibson for license for merry go round on Dalby street, Nonantum, and of Ulysses H. Burns of Newton Highlands for an auctioneer's license were read and granted.

Petitions of Munro, et al. for police signal box on Concord street, near Weston bridge, Lower Falls, was referred to the police committee, and that of Lord, et al. for abatement of nuisance caused by burning rubbish near Judkins street, Newtonville, to the Board of Health.

Petition of Newton Street Railway Company for a curved track in Newtonville square was referred to the street railway committee and a hearing ordered before the board on Oct. 1st at 7:45 o'clock.

A hearing was ordered at 7:45 o'clock on Oct. 1st upon the remonstrance of Geo. L. Johnson and others against the betterment assessment recently levied on account of the widening of Lexington street, Auburndale.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS.

The committee on auditing reported that the bills and vouchers for July, August and September were found correct and recommended payment of several bills chargeable to exhausted appropriations. Received.

The finance committee recommended the sale of the old reservoir on Ward street to the Metropolitan Water Board for \$50,000; a majority recommending that the proceeds be placed to the credit of the water construction, and a minority (Alderman Warren), recommending that the proceeds should be used in the sinking fund for water debt. Received.

The committee on highways recommended that the city assume certain betterment assessments levied on account of the widening of Lexington street, Auburndale. Such action being necessary to carry out agreements made with the abutters when land was taken for the widening. It also recommended the construction of a crosswalk on Highland avenue at Birch Hill road, Newtonville. Received.

The recommendation of the committee on journal that the records of the board to date, be approved, was accepted.

Recommendations of the public property committee of \$11,000 additional appropriation for construction of contagious wards at Newton hospital, and for appropriation of \$5,000 for land at Chestnut Hill for school and fire purposes were received.

The sewer committee reported favorably upon petition for sewers in Boylston and Chestnut streets, Upper Falls. Received.

## ORDERS.

Alderman Lowell presented an order authorizing issue of 3 per cent. bonds, due Aug. 1, 1920, for \$11,000 for construction of contagious wards at the Newton hospital and requested immediate action by the finance committee, to which it was referred. Alderman Weeks made a similar request in relation to an order appropriating \$67.75 for kindergarten purposes at the Pierce school, and a recess was taken to allow the committee to consider the same.

Upon resuming session, Alderman Dana for the finance committee reported favorably upon the kindergarten order, and stated that more time would be taken by the committee on the hospital order.

An order appropriating \$3,000 for purchase of land at Chestnut Hill was introduced by Alderman Lowell and referred to the finance committee, the same action being taken upon orders presented by Alderman Dana granting \$40,000 for city expenses during October, and appropriating \$5,860.75 for payment of certain sums of interest.

Upon motion of Alderman Fisher, orders appropriating \$83.01 for payment of bills in excess of appropriation therefor, incurred in the exchange of gravel lands with John Armitage; appropriating \$450 for payment of real estate experts in the trial of F. W. Bacon vs. Newton, in excess of the amount granted; and appropriating \$125 for payment of real estate experts in the case of Blaskell vs. Newton, for which no appropriation had been made, were unanimously adopted. President Daily ruling that inasmuch as the finance committee had considered them informally a motion to suspend the rules requiring reference was not necessary.

Orders authorizing construction of a

crosswalk on Highland avenue at Birch Hill road, Newtonville; authorizing the laying of water mains on Barnstable road, \$175; Boylston street, \$350; Chaska avenue, \$180; Commonwealth avenue, \$250; Floral avenue, \$140; Lake avenue, \$195; Lee avenue, \$425; of River street, \$210; Rockland place, \$410 and Tangleton road \$320; assuming betterments assessed on Emma F. Johnson \$429.54; C. C. Burr, \$190.83; G. W. Fiske, \$293.60; Frederick Johnson, \$335.68; Commonwealth avenue, Newton Centre, \$246.10; Crosby Salmon, \$339.54 and Chas. H. Johnson, \$247.35 on account of the widening of Lexington street, appropriating \$67.75 for establishing a kindergarten at the Pierce school, and authorizing sewer construction in Boylston and Chestnut streets, were unanimously adopted.

An order offered by Alderman Fisher appropriating \$500 for establishing a public urinal on land adjoining No. 1 Engine House, Washington street, Ward 7, was referred to the committee on finance.

## SALE OF RESERVOIR.

An order presented by Alderman Dana authorizing the mayor to sell the old reservoir on Ward street to the Metropolitan Water Board for \$50,000 was unanimously adopted.

An order offered by Alderman Dana placing the above sum to the credit of the water construction account, was considered. Alderman Warren offered an amendment to credit the sinking fund for water bonds with the proceeds of the sale, saying that as the city was disposing of part of its assets, he believed that the money should be used to reduce the city debt, especially the water debt.

Alderman Dana believed that there was one principle to be observed by the city in reference to its plant and that is, that it should be returned to the taxpayers, but used to restore the value of the plant in some other form.

This is particularly the case where the plant has been paid for by bonds. In such cases the taxpayers for many years have paid sinking fund and interest charges on the original debt, and it is not fair to return this money to taxpayers of any one year, who may have just obtained a residence in the city. This is the effect, if the money is placed in the sinking fund.

Alderman Fisher stated that the water construction account will need from \$15,000 to \$18,000 to meet its ordinary expenses for 1900, and in 1901, about \$30,000 will be needed in addition for current expenses.

Bonds will have to be issued if this money is not provided for from the proceeds of the sale. The average construction for the past five years has been \$48,000 per year.

Another imperative demand is the need of constructing another section of the covered reservoir. The daily consumption of water is steadily increasing, and the capacity of the covered reservoir, and the city is dangerously near the limit of its storage capacity. A new section is estimated to cost in the vicinity of \$35,000, and the \$50,000 can be reasonably spent within two years.

Alderman Warren thought that the question was simply whether or not the money should be used for the sinking fund or not, and that the needs of the department in the future should not be considered.

Alderman Lyman said that the old reservoir was an asset of the city now translated into money. The question whether it belongs to the sinking fund or not is determined by our needs. If the city was thoroughly covered by its water service, it should be used for similar purposes in the same department. Our present pumping plant and sources of supply are entirely sufficient for our needs, but our storage reservoir is in a false position, and we are surprised if its condition was more generally known. Another section should be added at once as a drought or severe fire would exhaust the reservoir. The best use of the asset is in a reduction of debt, and in dividing it among other departments, but in providing for the needs of the water department.

The Warren amendment was lost by a viva voce vote, and the original order was adopted, receiving every vote but that of Alderman Warren.

And the board at 11 o'clock adjourned.

## Mother's Rest.

The story of the Mother's Rest, which was opened in Waban, early in June, will be given in the chapel of the Baptist church, Newton Centre, at the regular prayer service on Friday evening, Sept. 14. All those who have so generously contributed to the success of this most worthy enterprise, as well as those who are interested in the possible continuance of such a refuge from heated city tenements, another season, for more mothers and suffering little ones, are cordially invited to be present.

Mr. Edwin De Meritte for many years connected with the Chauncy Hall and Berkeley schools as principal and in charge of the college preparatory work, is opening a Classical and English school for boys on Copley square at 553 Boylston street, Boston. Mr. De Meritte brings to this enterprise a wide experience and is prepared to fit boys for any college or scientific school or to give a thorough English course. He will be assisted in this work by an able corps of teachers.

## Jefferson Club Meets.

The Jefferson Democratic Club held its first meeting of the season at the clubhouse at Newtonville on Monday evening. There was an interesting meeting, the president William H. Baker followed by an informal discussion of the club's plans and its proposed part in the national, state and municipal campaigns. A committee of seven was appointed to re-draft the rules and by-laws and ordered to report at the next meeting.

## Street Railway Matters.

Active measures are being taken by the Newton Street Railway Company towards constructing the track in Walnut, Crafts and Waltham streets to the Waltham line; the rails have been delivered along the route, and a petition has been filed with the board of aldermen, asking for a connection in Newtonville square, between the tracks on Washington street with those on Walnut street.

The Newton & Boston Street Railway Company are asking the board of aldermen for locations for two additional turnouts for the purpose of making a fifteen instead of a twenty minute schedule. The turnout at Newton Highlands is being vigorously opposed by the Improvement Association and prominent citizens.

The Newton Street Railway Company is having four new 24 standard box vestibule cars built at Laconia, N. H., which will be ready about the last of the month.

This company is also double tracking a part of its line in Watertown square, where the town is to lay asphalt paving.

The Boston aldermen have ordered a hearing on Sept. 24 at 3 p. m. upon petition of the Newtonville & Watertown Street Railway Co. to connect its tracks in Union square, Allston, with the tracks of the West End Street Railway Company on Brighton avenue.

## Oak Hill Grass Fires.

There were two serious grass fires at Oak Hill last Friday afternoon and in consequence the firemen on the S. J. side of the city were busy for several hours. At 3:25 p. m. a box 9 was sounded for a blaze on the Hill estate off Dedham street, Oak Hill. The energies of the firemen were devoted here for more than an hour and hardly had they returned to their places when at 6:30 the same box was pulled in for a grass fire on the Appleton estate off Dedham street, Oak Hill. Neither fire was attended by any considerable damage.

## NOT A WIDOW.

Kate A. Pond Believes  
Husband Living.

Claims Attleboro Resident Is  
The Man.

Mrs. Kate A. Pond of 13 Lucas court, West Newton, has told Chief of Police Tarbox that she believes her husband is living, although for more than twenty years of her life she thought herself a widow.

Mrs. Pond says her husband left home on June 16, 1877, and up to a little more than a year ago she heard nothing of him. It was not until she avers, she made application for a pension that she was led to believe that John A. Pond of Attleboro was her husband. The information that such a man was living was furnished her by the pension authorities at Washington, D. C., she says.

Mrs. Pond holds the copy of a marriage certificate which was issued from the office of the Newton city clerk in September, 1898. This shows that John A. Pond of Newton, 26, and Kittie A. Wright of Newton, 21, were married by the Rev. Robert Stock at Watertown, June 24, 1874.

Since the time she alleges her husband left her, more than twenty years ago, Mrs. Pond has supported herself and part of the time cared for a son, who is now living with her and engaged in business in West Newton. He is 25 years old. For 15 years Mrs. Pond worked in the Silver Lake cordage mills at Nonantum, where she is now employed.

John A. Pond of Attleboro denies having married the West Newton woman, although he admits being "the man in the case." He is married to an Attleboro woman by whom he has had two children. They have lived together happily for the past 17 years.

Mr. Pond is a well known Attleboro citizen and is much respected there. He says Mrs. Pond of West Newton has no claim upon him as he never married her. He admits, however, he is the father of her son.

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## VOTE COUNTERS.

## Mayor Submits List to Aldermen.

## Good Men All, but Democrats Scarce.

Mayor Wilson has submitted to the board of aldermen the list of election officers who will serve at the coming elections. Under the rules the mayor's communication was laid over for a week.

Col. I. F. Kingsbury has been active some weeks preparing a list which he believes to be as good as it was possible to obtain. There are some promotions and changes which, it is believed, will prove entirely satisfactory.

In making out the list, however, the Colonel found a scarcity of Democrats, or, in other words, there were not as many to choose from as those shown in the Republican ranks. Following are the names:

WARD ONE.  
Precinct 1, Warden, John E. Butler, R.; deputy warden, Hiram S. Foss, R.; clerk, James A. Graue, D.; deputy clerk, Daniel O'Connell, D.; inspectors, Irving T. Fletcher, R., Thomas Kybert, R., Myles J. Joyce, D., Edward F. Murphy, D.; deputy inspectors, George W. Washburn, D., John T. Doyle, D., Michael L. Flaherty, D., Thomas F. Veno, D.

Precinct 2, Warden, John F. Griffin, D.; deputy warden, Bruce R. Ware, D.; clerk, Edwin O. Childs, R.; deputy clerk, Edwin O. Childs, R.; inspectors, John F. McSherry, D., John T. Joyce, D., John W. Fisher, R., Fred L. Trowbridge, R.; deputy inspectors, John Flood, D., vacancy, D., Marshall L. Blanchard, R., Luther D. Seales, R.

WARD TWO.  
Precinct 1, Warden, Henry P. Dearborn, D.; deputy warden, Jeremiah Cashman, R.; clerk, Samuel K. Billings, R.; deputy clerk, Charles D. Gator, R.; inspectors, Henry Toole, D., John F. Sullivan, D., Theodore G. Cutler, R., J. Dexter Billings, R.; deputy inspectors, George W. Washburn, D., Geo. G. Wood, R., Samuel J. Spear, R., Elbridge Bradshaw, R.

Precinct 2, Warden, Willard S. Higgins, R.; deputy warden, Albert H. Sisson, R.; clerk, James W. Page, D.; deputy clerk, vacancy, D.; inspectors, Uriah H. Dyer, R., William W. Palmer, R., George M. Bridges, D., William O. Tuttle, D.; deputy inspectors, Albert A. Savage, R., John E. Frost, R., Lewis Breeden, D., Joseph M. Pilon, D.

WARD THREE.  
Precinct 1, Warden, Thomas J. Green, D.; deputy warden, Bernard D. Farrell, D.; clerk, George H. Baker, R.; deputy clerk, Wilbur A. Paine, R.; inspectors, Frank C. Sheridan, D., John W. Gaw, D., William G. Folsom, R., George P. Rice, R.; deputy inspectors, John Bellamy, D., George P. Rice, R., James T. Bailey, R., Charles W. Florence, R.

Precinct 2, Warden, Harvey C. Wood, R.; deputy warden, Melville A. Richards, R.; clerk, Fisher Ames, Jr., D.; deputy clerk, Sumner W. Eager, D.; inspectors, Frank E. Hunter, R., Waldo L. Plimpton, R., Joseph Commons, D., Francis J. Burrage, D.; deputy inspectors, Harry F. Crafts, R., William K. Wood, R., Daniel F. Healey, D., James G. Cavanagh, D.

WARD FOUR.  
Precinct 1, Warden, Frederick Plummer, D.; deputy warden, Thomas J. Lyndon, D.; clerk, G. Lyman Snow, R.; deputy clerk, Benjamin K. Brown, R.; inspectors, Peter A. McVear, D., David F. Parker, D., Henry O. Ryder, R., Albert W. Little, R.; deputy inspectors, Edward L. Smith, D., Thomas H. Walter, D., James H. Dooliver, R., Willis F. Hadlock, R.

Precinct 2, Warden, Andrew B. Hayden, R.; deputy warden, George A. Lewitt, R.; clerk, Frederick C. Lyon, D.; deputy clerk, Thomas F. Ureell, D.; inspectors, Peter C. Baker, R., Levi Wales, R., John Dolan, D., Owen S. McCourt, Jr., D.; deputy inspectors, Francis S. Costello, R., Sumner E. Shattuck, R., Alfred Murray, D., Timothy E. Healy, D.

WARD FIVE.  
Precinct 1, Warden, Albert J. Grover, R.; deputy warden, John W. Howe, R.; clerk, Frank W. Barney, D.; deputy clerk, Amos O. Hale, D.; inspectors, Orlis Pettet, R., Erastus Gott, R., Frank Fanning, D., Daniel Kellner, D.; deputy inspectors, William L. Thompson, R., Charles W. Randall, R., John J. Kenney, D., James E. Connelley, R., Frederic A. O'Connor, R., E. Burritt Moulton, R.; deputy inspectors, Eugene F. Clifford, D., vacancy, D., Richard Wright, R., Benjamin F. Butler, Jr., R.

Precinct 2, Warden, Henry W. Holtbrook, D.; deputy warden, Charles H. Cook, R.; clerk, Edward H. Kenney, D.; deputy clerk, Arthur W. Voss, D.; inspectors, Frank A. Childs, R., Charles V. Campbell, R., George M. Angier, D., William M. Buffum, D.; deputy inspectors, George M. Hayden, R., Amasa S. Barnes, R., Edward L. Jordan, D., Arthur Comer, D.

WARD SIX.  
Precinct 1, Warden, Bertrand V. Dezen, R.; deputy warden, Gustav W. Ulmer, R.; clerk, Thomas G. Woodman, D.; deputy clerk, Michael J. Mullin, D.; inspectors, Ernest S. May, R., Fred P. Dunbar, R., Daniel H. McWain, D., Patrick E. Linnhan, D.; deputy inspectors, Harry B. Knowles, R., Samuel F. Chabourne, R., James W. Martin, D., Thomas J. Maloney, D.

Precinct 2, Warden, Samuel M. Jackson, D.; deputy warden, vacancy, D.; clerk, Albert L. B. Reed, R.; deputy clerk, Willis E. Darrell, R.; inspectors, Frederick M. Stuart, D., Michael S. Buckley, D., Arthur Muldown, R., Walter S. Griffith, R.; deputy inspectors, vacancy, D., William E. Woodman, D., Frank A. Sanderson, R., George F. Spalding, R.

Precinct 3, Warden, Charles H. Barrage, R.; deputy warden, Edieott P. Saltonstall, R.; clerk, Redington Fiske, D.; deputy clerk, vacancy, D.; inspectors, John C. Brennan, R., George W. Ward, R., Frank P. Hickey, R., Frank E. Kenneled, D.; deputy inspectors, George A. R. Stone, R., Arthur S. Russell, R., vacancy, D., vacancy, D.

WARD SEVEN.  
Warden, Amasa W. B. Huff, R.; deputy warden, Henry C. Daniels, R.; clerk, Moses Clark, Jr., D.; deputy clerk, vacancy, D.; inspectors, M. Lawrence Clark, R., Robert B. Edes, R., Francis A. Barrows, D., Francis C. Hahn, D.; deputy inspectors, James P. Aitrb, R., Leverett D. G. Bentley, R., vacancy, D., Edward D. Holmes, D.

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## NEWTON.

—Miss Linder of Cotton street is at home after a vacation outing.

—William B. Ely of Bellevue street has returned from Bethlehem, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Berry of Willard street are back from a vacation trip.

—Miss S. A. Smith is in New York this week attending Millinery openings.

—F. H. Wright and family of Jefferson street have returned from Uxbridge.

—Mrs. George A. Aston of Richardson street returned Sunday from Albert, N. B.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. McAlister have returned from a pleasant outing in Maine.

—Wallace H. Foss and family of Eldridge street have returned from Point Allerton.

—J. Herbert Park of Bigelow terrace left Monday for an outing in Nova Scotia.

—Mrs. C. H. Brown of Centre street left Monday for a sojourn in New Hampshire.

—Mr. F. A. Wetherbee and wife of Bellevue street have returned from Castine, Me.

—Philip H. Robinson has returned from a trip to Norfolk, Baltimore and Washington.

—Mrs. Mabel B. Collins of Hunnewell terrace has returned from Martha's Vineyard.

—Francis A. Dow and family are moving here this week and will reside on Tremont street.

—Mr. A. H. Sampson of Cambridge was in town the first of the week the guest of friends.

—Mr. Frank A. Day and family of Sargent street are at home from a sojourn at Wianno.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. W. B. Huff of Park street have been entertaining friends the past week.

—Mr. Fred A. Gay and wife of Billings park are enjoying a trip through the White Mountains.

—Miss Cora Cashman of Pearl street returned this week from a visit to friends in Pittsfield.

—Miss Sargent has returned from Lincoln, Me., and is a guest at the Hollis for the season.

—George H. Snyder of Washington street returned Saturday from a business trip to New York.

—Mr. Thomas Kingsbury and wife of Centre street left this week for a trip to Tennessee.

—E. R. Burbank, who has been absent on a vacation, has returned to the Hotel Hunnewell.

—Mrs. Dudley A. Sargent and her son of Centre street returned Monday after a summer's absence.

—Mrs. Osborne and family, formerly of the Hollis, have rented the Stone house on Vernon street.

—Mrs. N. P. Coburn of Franklin street has returned from several weeks' in the White Mountains.

—Mr. Goodnow and wife are at their Centre street residence after a few weeks' vacation outing.

—Miss Whipple has returned to her home on Richardson street after a sojourn in New Hampshire.

—Mr. Herbert Whitcomb and wife of Centre street returned Saturday from a few weeks at the shore.

—M. L. Storer and family of Maple street removed Saturday to their future new home in Boston.

—S. Curtis Smith and family of Fairmont avenue have returned from their summer cottage at Fairmount.

—Miss Stevens has been the guest the past week of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. George W. Shinn of Linder terrace.

—Mrs. M. L. Loveland and family of Fairmount street have returned from a summer's outing at Chatham.

—J. W. French and family of Washington street returned Tuesday from an extended outing at Edgartown.

—Harold Paine of Charlesbank road leaves this week for North Conway and other points in New Hampshire.

—Mrs. L. M. Pinkham and Miss Hart of Richardson street have returned from a several weeks' outing at Annisquam.

—Rev. Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Twombly of Franklin street have returned from an outing at Holderness and other points in New Hampshire.

—G. Irving Peavey and family, who have been spending the heated term at East Gloucester, are again at their home on Waterson road.

—Mrs. Ewing and Miss Emma Ewing, who have been spending a part of the summer at Fitchburg, return today to their home in Philadelphia.

—James Farrell, who has been staying with J. J. Morrissey on Fayette street, leaves today for California, where he goes for the benefit of his health.

—At Channing church next Sunday services will be held at 10.30. The pulpit will be occupied by Rev. George H. Young of Haverhill. All are welcome.

—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew B. Cobb and the Misses Cobb of Centre street returned Monday from Jefferson, N. H., where they were guests at the Waumbek.

—Mr. Thurlow Weed Bergen and wife of New York have been the guests this week of Mrs. Bergen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Farquhar of Sargent street.

—Walter C. Whitney of Jefferson street has secured a position in the civil engineering department of the Boston and Albany Railroad with headquarters in Boston.

—Among the Clouds of Sept. 8 has an interesting account of an ascent of Mt. Washington made last February by a party of which Geo. M. Weed, Esq., was a member.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Nichols and the Misses Nichols have returned from a two months' tour of Europe coming home by the way of Quebec and other Canadian points.

—The former firm of Barber Bros. has been incorporated as the Barber Bros. Hardware Co., with a capital of \$5000. Mr. Edwin W. Gray is president of the new company, and Mr. J. Wesley Barber, treasurer.

—The C. E. Society of Eliot church will be addressed Sunday night by Mr. J. A. Lansing, who has recently returned from traveling in Austria. He will talk on "Things seen and heard in Austria." A large attendance is especially desired, and all other people as well as all younger, are cordially invited.

—The young ladies society of Eliot church are preparing their annual Christmas box for the girls' school in Austria. Books, games, ribbons, fancy articles, and money are some of the things wanted. Mrs. Sidney Smith, 124 Hunnewell avenue, will be very glad to receive any gifts. Please send them in as promptly as possible.

—Miss Jane Hall Donaldson passed away at the home of her nephew, Mr. Leighton Teulon, on Baldwin street, last Friday, after a short illness, aged 79 years. She was a native of Haverhill, N. S., but had lived the most of her life in Boston. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Geo. Nattress of Brookline at the house Tuesday at 3 p. m., and the interment was at Mt. Auburn.

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## NEWTON.

—Mrs. Ernest Paine of Williams street returned this week from a vacation at Kingston, N. H.

—Mr. Farquhar of Sargent street returned today from a two weeks' trip to the White Mountains.

—John Eaton of Waban park returned Friday from a bicycle trip through the White Mountains.

—The Misses Amelia and Eunice Simpson of Hovey street have returned from a trip to Newport.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Tower of Newtonville avenue have returned from a tour through Nova Scotia.

—Mrs. Wm. H. Davis and family of Park street have returned from their summer home at Harwichport.

—Mrs. Kirk W. Hobart and family of Sargent street have returned after a summer at Holderness, N. H.

—Miss Mabel Hall of Elmwood street returned the last of the week from a short outing in North Falmouth.

—Rev. Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Hornbrooke of Lombard street have returned from a visit in Port Maitland, N. S.

—Mr. and Mrs. Howland, former well known residents of this place, have been in town a part of the week.

—William H. Partridge of Pembroke street is a candidate for secretary of state on the state prohibition ticket.

—Mrs. B. R. Ware and family of Fairmont avenue have returned from a summer outing at Mattapoisett.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. Fletcher Barber of Sumner street have returned from a summer's outing at Friendship, Me.

—Mrs. Owen and the Misses Owen of Centre street have returned from a visit to their former home in Brunswick, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frederic E. Harwood of Church street returned Saturday from Winthrop, where they spent the summer.

—Robert Davis of Park street left this week for Hanover, where he is a member of the Sophomore Class at Dartmouth College.

—Miss Maud C. Hartwell returned last week to her duties at the Newton and Watertown gas office after a pleasant vacation outing.

—Miss Etta Cleveland of Newtonville avenue has returned to her position in the Newton Free Library after an enjoyable vacation outing.

—Mrs. Curry and Miss Belle Curry of Ironwood, Michigan, are spending the fall season with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bartlett of Arlington street.

—Rev. Fr. Michael Dolan of the Church of Our Lady was in Haver



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## THE SINKING FUND.

The discussion in the Board of Aldermen last Monday evening as to the disposition to be made of the proceeds received from the sale of the old reservoir to the Metropolitan Water Board, appeared to hinge upon the question as to whether it was better to utilize the money in extending the plant of the Water Department, or to turn it over to the Sinking Fund for Water Bonds. In support of the latter it was urged that in this way the water debt would be reduced by that amount. It seems to us that this method instead of reducing the debt would only lessen the amount raised annually by taxation for the next few years, to meet the requirements of the sinking fund, and thereby incidentally reduce the tax rate. A slight explanation of the methods of determining the sinking fund requirements should make this clear. Whenever necessary, the sinking fund commissioners employ an expert accountant to determine the amounts of money to be annually raised by taxation to provide a sum sufficient to pay the permanent debt at maturity. In determining this sum the amount of the sinking funds on hand, the prevailing rate of interest and the life of the bonds are taken into consideration.

The controlling principle of the sinking fund is "that simple justice demands that a public debt bear uniformly over a term of years." By taking the issue of water bonds payable in 1905 as an illustration, it will thus be seen that for twenty-five years the burden of the sinking fund has been evenly distributed, and that the proposition to turn over the sum of \$90,000 in question, will greatly relieve the amount to be raised by taxation for sinking fund purposes for the next five years. In other words the tax payers of twenty-five years have accumulated far more than their share, and the tax payers for the next five years will contribute considerably less than their proportion of an equitable distribution of the debt. The debt is not reduced by the payment of money into the sinking fund, except in estimating the net debt to determine the limit of municipal indebtedness, and as the water debt is outside this limit, it has no bearing in this particular case. If \$90,000 of the water bonds could be purchased outright, thereby relieving the city of the burden of meeting the sinking fund and interest requirements on that amount of debt, there could be no question as to its advisability, but as the bonds cannot be reached until their maturity, we feel that the aldermen have taken the wise course in placing the money to the credit of the water construction account, thereby avoiding the necessity of issuing more bonds with their interest and sinking fund requirements.

## THE REPRESENTATIVE NOMINATIONS.

There seems to be no opposition at the present time to the nomination by acclamation of Alderman William F. Dana of Newton and ex-Alderman George P. Bullard of West Newton, for representatives from this district. As the Republican nomination is equal to an election in this city, Messrs. Dana and Bullard may look forward to the usual two years of service in the House. The city should also be congratulated upon the fact that these gentlemen are willing to accept the nominations.

Alderman Dana, with his long experience in the City Government, where he has been a leader, will make an admirable legislator, and the aggressive, business like qualities of Mr. Bullard, are too well known to need further comment.

ALDERMAN LOWELL is making a strong up hill fight to secure fire and school accommodations at Chestnut Hill. The advent of the street railway has led to the development of that part of the district, north of Beacon street, and there is a strong sentiment for better fire protection than that afforded by the engine at Newton Centre, over a mile and a half away. The demand for a school building nearer than Newton Centre is also growing. Mr. Lowell has worked upon the matter of securing a proper site from various land owners to sell, has a desirable location on Hammond street near Manet road. An order appropriating \$8,350 for the purchase of the property was passed by the Board of Aldermen last summer, and has been vetoed by Mayor Wilson on the ground of economy. Another order has been introduced, however, and an effort will be made to pass it over the Mayor's veto.

HON. FRED H. WILLIAMS complains that Mr. Powers is spending large sums of money in order to secure the Republican nomination for Congress in this district,

and objects to the fact that his opponent has established a completely organized campaign headquarters. Mr. Williams should remember that he himself is responsible for whatever expense the canvass is costing Mr. Powers and his friends, for, until Mr. Williams entered the list with his specious but thoroughly insincere argument against corporate corporation lawyers, the entire district had agreed that Middlesex county was justly entitled to the nomination, and in that Mr. Powers the city of Newton presented a candidate who could represent the district with honor and ability. Under these circumstances Mr. Powers is fully justified in making a fight along legitimate lines to maintain his position as the choice of Middlesex county, and as will be ultimately shown, of the entire district.

In passing certain orders, upon the recommendation of the Auditing Committee last Monday evening it seems to us, that the Board of Aldermen should have placed itself on record, as emphatically disapproving the habit of exceeding appropriations. There is no disposition on our part to criticize at this time the wisdom of the expenditures, but when the city charter expressly forbids city officials from creating a liability in excess of the appropriations therefor, any violation thereof cannot be too strongly condemned.

The misfortune which has overwhelmed the city of Galveston, arouses the strongest sympathy in every breast. Mayor Hart of Boston has issued a public appeal for money to aid in relieving the distress of the thousands who have been injured or deprived of their homes. Messrs. Lee, Higginson & Co., 44 State street, Boston, the well known bankers, will act as trustees of a Texas Relief Fund, and it is suggested that residents of this city should send their contributions to swell those of Boston.

The many friends of Mr. George I. Aldrich will be glad to know that he has entered upon his duties as Superintendent of Schools in our neighboring town of Brookline. Mr. Aldrich has been acting Superintendent of Schools at Springfield during the absence of Dr. Balliet in Europe.

## Metropolitan Park Assessment.

Messrs. Charles Francis Adams, Thomas M. Stetson and John C. Hammond, the commissioners appointed by the supreme court, June 16 last, under the petition of the metropolitan park commissioners, asking for appointment of commissioners to determine the payments by the cities and towns comprised in the metropolitan park district, under chap. 419 of the acts of 1890, have filed the report of their determination and award in court.

Their appointment was to "determine and make award of the proportion of the cost of each of the cities and towns of said district (30 in all) shall annually pay money into the state treasury beginning with Jan. 1, 1900, until the 1st day of January, in which a new award is made as provided by said act, to provide the amount required to meet the expense of metropolitan park board, and the care, maintenance and operation of the parks, reservations, boulevards and other works acquired, cared for and controlled by said board as provided in said act, and the deficiency, if any, in the estimates and payments for the parks, reservations and other works, and perform all other duties prescribed for them by said act."

The commissioners determine and make award of the proportions in which each city and town shall annually pay money into the treasury of the commonwealth under the act, as follows:

Percentage Proportions.	Percentage Proportions.
Boston..... 36.000	Hingham..... 0.018
Cambridge..... 35.429	Hull..... 0.027
Chelsea..... 0.156	Hyde Park..... 0.051
Everett..... 0.010	Milton..... 0.043
Lyons..... 0.029	Nahant..... 0.078
Medford..... 0.243	Needham..... 0.021
Melrose..... 0.023	Revere..... 0.024
Neponset..... 0.023	Saugus..... 0.024
Newton..... 0.014	Stonham..... 0.036
Quincy..... 0.013	Swampscott..... 0.049
Roslindale..... 0.012	Wakfield..... 0.038
Salem..... 0.013	Watertown..... 0.029
Woburn..... 0.028	Wellesley..... 0.043
Weymouth..... 0.004	Westwood..... 0.008
Yarmouth..... 0.003	Weymouth..... 0.009
	Winchester..... 0.019
	Winthrop..... 0.040
	Dorchester..... 0.009
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The state appropriations for the metropolitan park system were as follows:

Series 1..... \$6,125,000
Series 2..... 2,700,000
Total..... \$8,825,000
Sinking fund..... 1,000,000
Total..... \$7,825,000

## City Hall Notes.

The Assessing Department is busily engaged in making out the tax bills for 1900. About 15,000 will be prepared and turned over to Collector Ricketts in a few days for distribution.

It seemed like old times to see ex-Alderman Thomas White at a meeting of the aldermen, and to hear his pungent remarks on street railway matters.

The proposals for grading, etc., around the new Bigelow school house were opened by Commissioner Elder last Wednesday afternoon, and found to be as follows:

For grade.	For grade.	Covering.
Wm. H. Mague..... \$1675.00	For grade..... \$1675.00	For grade..... \$1675.00
John Joyce..... 2490.00	For grade..... 2490.00	For grade..... 2490.00
T. Stuart & Son..... 2490.00	For grade..... 2490.00	For grade..... 2490.00

Street Commissioner and Mrs. Ross are enjoying a week at Cleveland, O., Deputy Commissioner Geo. E. Stuart being in charge of the department.

City Physician Utley, assisted by Dr. C. H. Fessenden, is making the usual examination of school children for the prevention of contagious diseases.

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Agent Harry A. Stone of the Health department has resumed his duties.

The Board of Health has assigned a hearing on Oct. 15 upon the application of Mr. H. C. Daniels of Newton to enlarge his stable.

On Tuesday representatives of the state board of health inspected the condition of the Charles river, which, it is said, is not in the cleanest state because of the low water. As yet they have reported no decision.

A delegation from Haverhill, including Mayor Chase, the city engineer, street commissioner and members of the board of aldermen, visited the hall Wednesday morning for the purpose of inspecting the operations of Newton's sewer system. They were met by Mayor Wilson and afterwards conducted through the West Newton section under the guidance of City Engineer I. T. Farnham. Shortly before noon they left for Worcester.

## Sneak Thief Got \$300.

A young man, representing himself as an inspector connected with the local electric light company, went to the house of Mrs. Robert Everett, 406 Walnut street, Newtonville, yesterday afternoon. His business-like manners gained him admission and he was allowed to look at the electric lighting system throughout the house. Before he left a servant girl was sent up stairs. She met the bogus inspector coming out of a room. He was then active and no one being suspected he had taken a bag from Mrs. Everett's room, containing \$108 in bills, two diamonds and a plain ring valued altogether at \$300.

The police were notified. The thief is described as tall and slim, about 25 years old, smooth face and dark complexioned.

## MARRIED.

CORSON—DANIELS—At Newton Centre, Sept. 11, by Rev. H. E. Brady, Irving Corson and Susanne E. Daniels.

SOUTHGATE—NUTTER—At Newton High Land, Sept. 11, by Rev. G. G. Phipps, Walter H. Southgate of Dedham, and Isabelle O. Nutter of East Bridgewater.

## DIED.

CHESLEY—At Arlington, Sept. 11, Jane C. Chesley, 83 yrs.

MURPHY—At West Newton, Sept. 5, Patrick Simon Murphy, 44 yrs. 5 mos. 2 days.

WRIGHT—At Newton Highlands, Sept. 6, Julia A. Wright, 41 yrs. 11 mos. 10 days.

DONALDSON—At Newton, Sept. 7, Jane H. Donaldson, 79 yrs. 2 mos.

ESTES—At Newtonville, Sept. 10, Irving, son of A. S. and Ella M. Estes, 11 mos. 12 days.

COOK—At Newton Hospital, Sept. 11, David Cook, 59 yrs.

SUGRUE—At Newton Hospital, Sept. 12, Catherine, widow of John Sugrue, 50 yrs.

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## NEWTONVILLE.

—Mr. Wm. E. Hickox has returned from his camp in the Maine woods.

—Miss Angie Savage of Brooks avenue has returned from Boothbay, Me.

—E. B. Jones and family of Dexter road returned Saturday from Kennerma.

—Mrs. Charles W. Beals of Lowell avenue has returned from Provincetown.

—Miss Eva Wheeler of Cabot street returned from East Gloucester last week.

—Mr. Edward Strong and family of Highland avenue are home from the seashore.

—J. L. Palmer of Cabot street has returned from a visit to relatives in Vermont.

—A. P. Curtis of Newtonville avenue with his family have returned from Maine.

—Mr. C. J. Unmack and family of Cabot street returned Saturday from Brooklyn, N. Y.

—Miss E. F. Johnson of Washington street has returned from a visit in Nashua, N. H.

—Mr. Herbert McKenzie of Washington street has returned from a visit in Providence.

—Mr. J. C. Hauoe and family of Cabot street are home from Campton Village, N. H.

—Mr. George W. Auryansen of Judkins street has returned from a trip to New York.

—Mrs. Aubin of Providence, R. I., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Cook of Bowers street.

—Miss Flora Pettie of Lowell avenue has returned from a trip to the White Mountains.

—Mr. William H. Baker and wife of Mill street returned this week from a vacation in Maine.

—Mrs. William W. Jackson of Mill street is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Jackson of St. Louis.

—Dr. John J. Coxeter and family of Cabot street have returned from a trip to Nantucket.

—George F. Lowell and family of Boston have moved into the Ross house on Harvard street.

—F. C. Hinds and family of Bowers street have returned from a few weeks' vacation outing.

—F. A. McMann of Cabot street has returned from a short visit to friends in New Hampshire.

—Miss Elsie Gaudet of Wiswall street returned Tuesday from a visit to friends in Boothbay, Me.

—Mr. C. W. Hamilton and family of Walnut street returned Tuesday from an extended outing.

—Warren M. Tapley and family of Otis street returned Monday from a sojourn in New Hampshire.

—Captain and Mrs. Lemuel Pettie of Lowell avenue have returned from Fall River, Mass.

—Miss Lilla Richardson of Austin street returned this week from a month's outing on the Cape.

—Miss Ida A. McClellan of Walnut terrace has returned from a summer at Maranacook, Me.

—Mr. W. H. Keith and wife of Wilton road return this week from a trip to the White Mountains.

—Miss Helen Kimball of Trowbridge avenue has returned from Peaks Island, Portland harbor, Me.

—Miss Lillian Rogers leaves this week for Philadelphia, Penn., where she will spend the winter.

—Mr. Philip Burgess of New York City has been the guest of his parents on Otis street the past week.

—Mr. H. V. Landers of Walnut street has returned from an extended business trip through the West.

—Harry Millikin and family of Russell court have returned from a summer's sojourn at Camden, Me.

—The Misses Thompson of Otis street will leave soon for an extended trip to Lake Minniewaska, N. Y.

—The Misses Bellows of West Newton are the guests of Captain and Mrs. Lemuel Pettie of Lowell avenue.

—Mrs. H. W. Orr of Newtonville avenue has returned from a visit to her former home in Northern New York.

—Hunting's Express is running an extra team leaving here at 8 a. m., and arriving on the return trip at 2.30 p. m.

—Mr. Daniel C. Heath and family of Highland avenue have returned from their summer home at Hyannisport.

—Miss Bertha Hackett of Highland avenue has returned from a four weeks' stay at Kennebunkport, Me.

—Mrs. Katherine Tupper Prescott, the senior, formerly of Elm road, has been spending the week with relatives.

—Mr. E. F. Partridge, the photographer, returned this week from Europe where he passed a portion of the summer.

—Mrs. Wm. F. Kimball and her niece, Miss Fanny Curtis of Abington, are spending a few days at Poland Springs, Me.

—Miss Henrietta M. Starrett of Judkins street returned Saturday from a visit to her home in Mount Vernon, N. H.

—Henry H. Carter and family of Highland avenue have returned from a month's stay at Jefferson Highlands, N. H.

—Miss Margaret C. Worcester of Highland avenue returns next week from her summer home at Intervale, N. H.

—George Royal Pulsifer and family of Highland avenue have returned from their summer home at Bailey's Island, Me.

—Mrs. Nathaniel H. Bryant and family of Walker street have returned from their summer cottage at North Falmouth.

—Mr. Francis E. Macomber and family of Elm park have returned from their summer cottage at Lake Umbagog, N. H.

—Mrs. Maud Nias West has returned to her new home, 29 Highland avenue, and will resume her teaching in a few weeks.

—Albert Edward Hooper of Austin street enjoyed a driving trip through a part of New Hampshire the first of the week.

—Mr. Harry Forbes Prescott of the Highland Military academy, Worcester, has been the guest of friends here this week.

—Captain Alden and family of Boston expect to remove here this week and occupy the Hunt house on Washington park.

—Mr. Charles A. Burgess and wife and George K. Burgess of Otis street left today for a two weeks' outing at Jackson, N. H.

—Miss Proctor of Trowbridge avenue and Miss Fenn of Walnut street returned Tuesday from an outing in New Hampshire.

—Tyler Lee Holmes has returned to New York after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Holmes of Highland avenue.

—Mrs. George H. Shapleigh of Nevada street left Wednesday for Europe where she will spend some months visiting points of interest.

—The Ladies' Social Circle connected with the Universalist church are preparing to hold a sale in the chapel the first week in December.

—Read the Allen School advertisement, page 7.

—H. M. Caldwell of Walnut street has returned from Marion.

—John J. Everson and family of Walnut street have returned from Connecticut.

—Porter Wheeler of Cabot street returned from South Merimack, N. H., this week.

—Captain B. H. Gilbreth of Churchhill avenue returned yesterday from Cataumet.

—Frank H. Potter of Newton Highlands has rented the house, 29 Highland avenue.

—L. F. Norman and family of Lowell avenue have returned from Point Allerton.

—Mr. Andrew Maupas of Washington street is recovering from his recent illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. Amory H. Waite of Lowell avenue have returned from Sea View.

—Charles R. Lynde and wife of Edinboro street returned yesterday from a few weeks in Duxbury.

—Mr. Edward A. Richardson of Austin street returned Wednesday from an extended outing.

—Mrs. H. N. Hyde and Miss Isabel Hyde of North street have returned from Kennebunkport, Beach.

—Mr. Austin R. Mitchell and wife of Walnut street are home from a visit at Poland Springs, Me.

—Mr. F. S. Sherman and family of Watertown street have returned from Peaks Island, Me.

—Mr. William H. Sylvester and wife of Bowers street returned Saturday from a vacation in Wellesley.

—Mr. Wallace C. Boyden and family have returned from South Duxbury to their home on Walnut street.

—Miss Elizabeth Brown of Bowers street left this week for New York, where she will be the guest of her sister.

—Mr. Edwin T. Stone and family and Mrs. M. J. Robertson of Edinboro street have returned from Point Allerton.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Elizabeth Kendall, formerly of Trowbridge avenue, to Mr. Martin Moore Foss of Boston.

—Mrs. John Wilkins Carter and family of Otis street have returned from Jefferson Highlands, N. H., where they passed the summer.

—Mr. Oscar Locke and wife have returned from their wedding tour and are occupying their new home on Charlesbank road, Newton.

—William T. Vose and family of Edinboro street have returned from spending the summer in Northern Maine and New Hampshire.

—Miss Annie Payson Call of Highland avenue and Miss Ely of Birch Hill road return this week from a trip to California and Colorado.

—The Misses Lucy and Margaret Carter of Otis street are home from Bailey's Island, Me., where they have been for the past two months.

—Mr. Charles K. Drury and wife of Washington park are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Harold Woodworth at their home in Jamestown, N. Y.

—Rev. Richard T. Loring and family of Trowbridge avenue have returned from Annapolis Harbor, Me., where they passed the summer season.

—Mr. George K. Burgess of Otis street leaves soon for Ann Arbor, Mich., where he has accepted a position in the Ann Arbor college.

—Mr. William C. Richardson and family are at their home on Highland avenue street an extended outing at their summer home at Kennerma.

—Asahel Sylvester and his daughter, Miss Florence Sylvester of Bowers street, left this week for a visit at Freedom and other points in eastern Maine.

—Mr. W. G. Harrington and children, who have been the guests of Mr. Charles T. Harrington of Linwood avenue, have returned to their home in Texas.

—Mr. H. W. Calder and wife have returned from St. Johnsbury, Vt., where they were called by the very sudden death of Mr. Calder's sister, Flora J. Calder.

—Mr. John W. Lockett of Highland avenue and Mr. Eugene E. Pettie of Lowell avenue have returned from an extended bicycle trip through the Berkshire Hills.

—Rev. Richard T. Loring will conduct services at St. John's church next Sunday, morning at 10.45. Sessions of the Sunday school will be resumed on Sunday, Sept. 23.

—Mr. Francis Dowson, who has been the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis A. Dowson of Highland avenue, has returned to his home in Orange, N. J.

—Miss Marjorie Carter of Highland avenue will sail from Liverpool for Boston Sept. 26 on the Saxonia of the Dominion line. Miss Carter has spent four months in foreign travel.

—Kindly remember the Flower and Fruit Mission through September. Slips for putting would be gladly received. Leave at Newtonville station, Tuesdays and Fridays before 8.45 a. m.

—Mr. William Montgomery and wife, who returned the last of the week from Meriden and have been guests of J. Howard Brown of Bowers street, have gone to their home in New York.

—Dalhousie lodge, F. and A. M., held the first meeting for the season in the Masonic building Wednesday evening. There was a fair attendance, and the fellowcraft degree was worked.

—Mr. Charles D. Meserve and wife, who are back from Hyannis and have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Thompson of Otis street, are now located at Mr. Chandler Holmes' on Highland avenue.

—Mr. Estes and wife of Chesley avenue will have the sympathy of their many friends in the loss of their young son, Irving, last Monday. Rev. S. G. Dunham conducted the funeral service held on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

—Dr. and Mrs. Edward A. Whiston of Highland avenue have issued invitations for the wedding of their daughter Emily, to Mr. Hiller C. Wellman of Brookline, the ceremony to take place at the Swedenborgian church, Thursday, Sept. 20, at 12 o'clock.

—Mrs. J. W. Dickinson of Prospect avenue, well known in musical circles, is in Florence, Italy, where she will spend the winter and spring studying languages and music under the best teachers. She has not been at Beach Bluff as was stated last week.

—Edward Payson Call and family of Larchmont Manor, N. Y., and William Whiston of New York City will be in town next week to attend the Whiston-Wellman wedding. They will be the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Edward A. Whiston of Highland avenue.

—The next regular meeting of Boynton Lodge Odd Ladies will be held Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 25th, in Denison hall, commencing at 2 o'clock sharp. At the close of the meeting there will be a social whist and all members are earnestly requested to be present.

—At the Universalist church next Sunday at 10.45 a. m., the first anniversary of Samuel G. Dunham as pastor of the church will be observed. Mr. Dunham will preach an appropriate sermon and there will be musical aid by a full chorus assisted by Mrs. Maud Hutchins Redmond, soprano soloist.

## WEST NEWTON.

—Read the Allen School advertisement, page 7.

—Mr. F. D. Tarleton has returned from a trip to New York.

—George K. Stacey of engine 2 has been ill a part of the week.

—Mrs. Percival S. Howe of Berkeley street is at Copewell, Me.

—Miss Mary M. L. Eager of Prospect street is at Danbury, Conn.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Broman of Hunter street are in Andover.

—Mr. Alfred Haynes has moved from Islington road to Cherry street.

—W. T. Rudd of Prince street is the guest of his son in Albany, N. Y.

—Mr. Harold Greenwood of Temple street has returned from Chatham.

—Mr. William H. Magnus has returned from a trip through the provinces.

—Miss Nancy Adams of Temple street has returned from New Hampshire.

—Mrs. J. B. Chase of Hillside avenue has returned from a summer at Hull.

—Mr. Joshua Blake of Cherry street is spending his vacation in Provincetown.

—Fine line of the latest stationery at manufacturers' prices. Hunt's, druggist.

—Mr. Judson B. Sanderson of Davis avenue has returned from Highgate, Vt.

—Mrs. William A. Packard of Warkwile road has returned from Hillsboro Bridge, N. H.

—Mr. George H. Haynes of Eden avenue has purchased the Gibbs house on Cherry street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Cobb of Parsons street have returned from a trip to Wellfleet.

—Mrs. Barton Abbey, who has been visiting her sister, returns this week to Jamestown.

—Mr. M. J. Lowry and family of Shaw street are in town after a few weeks at Falmouth.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Brown of Chestnut street are back from a trip to Narragansett Pier, R. I.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Farshaw of Davis avenue returned Saturday from a trip to Vermont.

—Mrs. William Bragdon of Cherry street is at Cornwell-on-the-Hudson for the autumn season.

—Mr. Lincoln and family of Vermont have moved here into the Upham house on Cherry street.

—Mr. B. M. Kattelle and family of Prince street returned Saturday after a two months' absence.

—Miss Sarah S. Webber will reopen her gymnasium at 279 Highland street on Wednesday, Oct. 17.

—Mr. Lawrence Mayo and family of Chestnut street have returned from a few weeks at Seaside.

—Dr. John P. Holmes and family of Otis street have returned from a trip to the White Mountains.

—Rev. Julian C. Jaynes of Prince street returns this week from his summer home at Malpeque, P. E. I.

—Miss Myrtle Morse has returned to her position in F. D. Tarleton's store after a two weeks' vacation.

—Mr. George Russell of Waltham has entered the employ of Mr. Charles D. Allen of Washington street.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Eddy of Prospect street returned Monday from their summer home at Gloucester.

—Estimates for upholstering, mattresses, and window shades given at M. H. Hase's, 25 Chestnut street.

—Mr. Edward C. Fletcher and family of Berkeley street are at home after enjoying the summer at Osterville.

—Miss Louise Cobb of Prince street will return this week from Harvard, where she was the guest of friends.

—Mr. E. C. Willison and family of Prince street returned Saturday after a summer's sojourn at Harrison, Me.

—Mr. George P. Howlett and family of Prince street have returned from a trip to the Adirondack region.

—Mrs. Harriet A. Pike was at Salisbury Beach, Tuesday, where she attended the reunion of the Pike family.

—Miss Campbell of Washington street has returned from Hyde Park, where she was the guest of friends.

—Mrs. George P. Rice and family of Warren avenue are back from their summer home at North Seaside.

—Mr. Charles E. Cram and family of Lenox street returned Tuesday from a vacation in New Hampshire.

—Mr. Fred A. Potter of Waltham street has moved to Pawtucket, R. I., where he will engage in business.

—Mr. George H. Ingraham and family of Chestnut street have returned from their summer home at Rindge, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker, who returned recently to Jimenez, Mexico, are now located at El Paso, Texas.

—Mrs. John T. Prince and Miss Mary E. Haskell of Temple street are spending a short season at Randolph, N. H.

—Mr. Thomas F. Mague of Mague place has returned with his family from their summer home at Rindge, N. H.

—Mrs. Albert Moore and family of Leominster are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Pettigrew of Auburn street.

—Miss Kate Carroll of Regent street has returned from a summer's outing spent at Chochoira, N. H., and Ogonquit, Me.

—Mr. James Farrell and wife have returned after spending a two weeks' enjoyable vacation at Centre Harbor.

—Mrs. Dunean Frazier and the Misses Mae and Kate Frazier of Davis street have returned from an outing in Maine.

—Mrs. Richard Rowe and daughter are expected home this week after a pleasant outing in the White Mountains.

—Mrs. H. H. Hunt and family of Webster street have returned from their summer home at Green Harbor, Duxbury.

—Mr. Harvey C. Wood of Highland street leaves soon for Richmond, Va., where he will attend the Odd Fellows' Convention.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edgar J. Bliss and Mrs. James Luke of Prince street have returned from their summer home at Beverly Farms.

—Mr. William B. H. Dowse and family of Temple street returned Monday from Wianno, where they spent the heated season.

—The first fall meeting of the Home Circle will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 19, at 2 p. m., in the Unitarian church parlors.

—A rummage sale will be held in the Caroline block on Washington street, Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 19 and 20, from 10 to 10 o'clock. Articles will be on sale consisting of clothing, furniture, books, etc.

—An important meeting to consider the Indian problem will be held next Sunday night, at 7.30, in the First Baptist church. Mr. Schweser will present the subject from personal experiences among the Indians. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

—Mrs. T. P. Prudden and family have closed their summer cottage at Camden, Me., and are at their home on Winthrop street.

—Mrs. George L. Saunders and Miss Saunders of Greenwich street have returned from a two weeks' outing at Nantasket.

—George Green, who has been at the Newton hospital, the result of a bicycle accident, returned Tuesday to his home on Cherry street.

—Mrs. R. C. Pratt, who has been the guest of Mrs. George Hutchinson of Chestnut street, has returned to her home in New Haven, Conn.

—Messrs. Ernest Sheldon of Cherry street and Roger Foster of Highland street will enter the freshman class at Williams College this fall.

—Mrs. B. F. Otis of Elm street and her daughter, Mrs. Theodore A. Fleet of Winthrop street, return this week from their summer home on Great Diamond Isle, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Howland and the Misses Ethel and Mary Howland of Chestnut street arrived Friday on the Dominion liner "New England," from a European tour.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Potter observed their 10th wedding anniversary at their home on Henshaw street on Tuesday evening. A large number of friends aided them in the celebration.

## Lasell Notes.

Lasell seminary reopened on Thursday, Wednesday being classification day, when new pupils presented themselves for assignment to classes. There have been but few changes in the faculty; Miss C. A. Carpenter takes Miss Hotchkiss' place as preceptor, and Miss Clara M. Austin, graduate of Smith college, will assist in the departments of English and the classical languages.

At Wednesday evening chapel Mrs. Blanche C. Martin, on behalf of the faculty, gave a charming address of welcome to the new girls. The orchestra, during the rest of the evening, played in the school gymnasium for such as cared to dance, or otherwise to enjoy it.

On Thursday evening Col. Homer B. Sprague, the accomplished Shakespearean scholar, lectured to the school on Shakespeare's Julius Caesar. Those who have heard Col. Sprague know in how fascinating a way he presents the great dramatist to his audience in his lectures.

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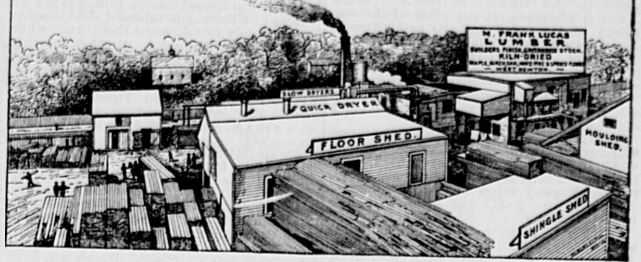
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## Literary Notes.

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Messrs. Houghton, Mifflin & Co., announce Saturday, September 15, as the beginning of their publishing season for 1900-1901. The Fall season has always been the most important publishing period among American publishers, and this house, like many publishing houses, has in prospect this autumn the publication of a long list of titles embracing essays, works in fiction, science, religion, history, nature lore, and economics. On September 15 will be published: "In the Hands of the Red Coat," by Dr. Everett T. Tomlinson, a story of the Revolution, for boys; the Aline Classics, five volumes of the most popular works of Longfellow, Whittier, Hawthorne, Lowell, etc., in handsome little "Pickering" books; "Numbers and Losses in the Civil War,"

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Little, Brown & Company are preparing a new edition of Maud Wilder Goodwin's "The Head of a Hundred in the Colony of Virginia, 1622."

In addition to a "Life of Parkman," Little, Brown & Company will publish a new edition of Parkman's "Oregon Trail," with seventy-five illustrations by Frederic Remington.

## Book Notice.

D. Appleton & Co. publish an interesting book by Eugene McCarthy, entitled "Familiar Fish, their Habits and Capture," which is a complete guide for anglers of fresh water fish. A table showing the open fishing seasons in the United States and Canada and the numerous illustrations are valuable features of the book, \$1.50.

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## "The Smart Set" for September.

The Smart Set for September is a distinct improvement over previous issues. The novelette of the number is a timely and extraordinary interest. It is entitled "The Leading Woman," and is by John D. Barry. In this story Mr. Barry takes his readers behind the scenes and sets forth the true stage life in a manner never heretofore attempted in fiction. The witty Golett Burgess contributes a farcical story entitled, "Lady Meachane," that describes the adventures of a beautiful woman burglar. Mrs. William Allen, signs a story that she calls, "The Love Letters of a Liar," and that will make a sensation at Newport and Narragansett Pier. Gertrude Atherton contributes a weird story, "The Greatest Good," that is sure to be remembered by all who read it. "The Unlucky Shilling" is a humorous tale by Barry Pain. "The Moonlight at El Korde" is a strong story by C. B. Lewis ("Quadrant"). "With the Government Regrets," by Louise Winter, author of "Hearts Aflame," is a fascinating tale of recent days in Havana. In all there are forty-three signed contributions by writers well known for their cleverness.

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## Confiscation in Morocco.

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It has never struck the Moorish government that these great fortunes might more honorably be returned to the people from whom they were stolen. The result is entire confiscation to the crown, including often such private property as the governor may have been possessed of before his appointment and not seldom, too, of the property of his relatives. When the mighty fall in Morocco, the crash brings down with them their families, even uncles and cousins and all connected with them, and it is not seldom that the sons of great governors, who have been brought up in the luxury of slaves and horses and retinues of mounted men, have to go begging in the streets.—Blackwood's.

## A Horse's Blinders.

A horse's blinders are usually concave on the inside. True, the surface usually is a dead black, but not absolutely so, so that a glimmer of light may be reflected from them. By constant cleansing this dead surface is made more or less smooth if not actually glossy and shiny. Moreover, the blinders are usually set at an angle, so that as a result of the law of reflection rays of light concentrated by the convex surface are reflected into the eyes, not directly in the axis of vision, but more or less transversely or obliquely, the result being even more injurious. As a result of this reflection the vision is weakened if not destroyed.

Moreover, the mirrorlike blinders not only reflect sunlight, but they reflect objects as well, so that a "blinded" horse sees not only objects directly ahead of him, but has a more or less blurred vision of other objects, interfering with and confusing the image of objects directly before him, and as a consequence he is rendered uncertain in his movements and is easily scared. No further proof of this is needed than the fact that a nervous horse with a reputation for shying and running away often becomes tractable if the blinders are removed, because he can then see distinctly what before he could only see indistinctly and confusingly.—Our Animal Friends.

## A Puzzle.

An ancient epitaph in Latin in the chateau of Chantilly, France, may be translated thus:

Aelia Laelia Crispis  
Neither man, nor woman, nor hermaphrodite,  
Neither infant, young nor old,  
Neither chaste, depraved, nor modest,<  
But all these.

Removed neither by hunger, sword or poison,  
But by all.

She lies neither in the sky nor in the water, but everywhere.

Lucius Aelia Crispis.  
Neither husband, lover nor friend,  
But all these.

Neither weeping nor rejoicing,  
Created it.

Has erected this, neither a mausoleum, a pyramid nor a sepulcher,  
But all three.

Both knowing and not knowing to whom he hath erected it.

This is a tomb that holds no body,  
This is a body held in no tomb,  
But is its own body and its own tomb.

The answer is not known, and so every nimble wit is invited to exercise itself on the tough old puzzle.

## Whiter Than a Shirt.

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#### NEWTON CENTRE.

—Read the Allen School advertisement, page 7.  
—Larry Mason has returned from his vacation at Gloucester.  
—Henry Haynie of Hillsboro terrace has returned from Cotuit.  
—Mr. Christopher McHale has recovered from his recent illness at Gloucester.  
—Mrs. E. H. Story of Pleasant street has returned from a vacation at Gloucester.  
—Fred De Courcy has returned from an enjoyable trip to Sussex, N. B.  
—Mrs. C. A. Peck of Centre street is visiting friends in Rhode Island.  
—Miss Schoonmaker of New York is spending a few weeks in this place.  
—Mr. George Baker has purchased the Cunningham estate on Parker street.  
—H. N. Smith of Beacon street returned Saturday from an outing at Bay side.  
—Mr. W. E. Darrell and wife are back from a vacation trip to Madison, N. H.  
—Miss Ella Hood of Centre street has returned from a week's trip to Vermont.  
—Mrs. W. B. Norton of Homer street has returned from the White Mountains.  
—Mr. W. H. Coolidge and family have returned to their home on Gray Cliff road.  
—George Huntress of Westbourne road has returned from a trip to North Scituate.  
—Rev. H. W. Cole and family of New York have moved into a house on Langley road.  
—Seth Oldrieve and family of Beacon place returned the last of the week to Penikese.  
—Rev. A. F. Newcomb and family are to occupy the Murray house on Trowbridge street.  
—Mr. William E. Shedd and wife of Ridge avenue returned Saturday from Plymouth.  
—Mr. George Smith and family of Marshall street returned this week from Falmouth.  
—Mr. C. F. Kirkland and wife of Parker street have returned from a few days' visit in Lynn.  
—Miss Anna D. Philbrick of Boylston street has been enjoying an outing at Jackson, N. H.  
—Thomas G. Fuller of Braeland avenue, a veteran of the civil war, has been granted a pension.  
—Mr. Avery L. Rand and family of Centre street returned on Saturday from Marshfield.  
—Mr. A. Wetherbee and family have moved here from Roxbury and are residing on Oxford road.  
—Mrs. Edward J. Payne and Miss Payne of Lake avenue have been in the White Mountains.  
—Mr. S. A. Shannon and family of Lake avenue have returned from Moosilauke, New Hampshire.  
—Mr. D. T. Kidder Jr., and family of Summer street are at home from an outing at North Falmouth.  
—Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Day of Pleasant street have returned from a two weeks' trip to Sunapee, N. H.  
—Miss S. E. Ellery has returned from a vacation at the White Mountains and the sea shore at Gloucester.  
—Mr. Harry W. Mason and family of Ward street have returned from an extended outing at East Brewster.  
—Rev. James L. Barton and family of Ashton park have returned from their summer home at Marblehead.  
—J. L. Barton and family of Ashton park have returned from Marblehead, where they spent the summer.  
—Prof. William Z. Ripley and family of Hancock avenue have returned from a summer's outing at Bailey's Island, Me.  
—B. T. Stehenson and family, formerly of Dorchester, have moved into their new house on Commonwealth avenue.  
—G. H. Williams of Warren street is entertaining his daughter, Mrs. Gair Tourtellot and Miss Tourtellot of Chicago.  
—Newton Centre Lodge, No. 200, A. O. U. W., will hold an assembly on Wednesday evening, Sept. 19, in Circuit hall.  
—George E. Frost and family of Pleasant street are at home from an extended trip to Toronto and other points in Canada.  
—Hon. Alden Spear of Centre street has returned from a successful shooting and fishing trip at his camp in the Adirondack region.  
—The annual meeting of the Young People's Union will be held on Tuesday evening, in the chapel of the First Baptist church.  
—Mr. J. Herbert Sawyer and wife were among the passengers sailing on the St. Louis from New York Wednesday for a European tour.  
—J. Birmingham and family of New York have moved into the house on Newbury street until recently occupied by Mr. C. E. Townsend.  
—Dean William E. Huntington of Boston University and Mrs. Huntington are at their home on Commonwealth avenue after an extended stay in England.  
—At the Unitarian church next Sunday, services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. W. Wendell. Mr. Franklin Wood, soloist. Sunday school at 12.  
—Miss Julia Tierney and her brother, Stephen, of 104 Beacon street have returned from an enjoyable outing at Moultonboro, N. H. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. O'Brien.  
—The Haskell house, No. 18 Paul street, in charge of Mr. F. F. Morton, has been painted in colonial yellow, a style well adapted to the architecture. Extensive interior improvements have also been made, and the place leased and occupied by Mr. Waldron H. Rand, Jr.  
—Madame Socconagam Annual of India, who is being entertained by Dr. Butler, will speak at the M. E. church on Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, and will hold a public reception in the parlors of the church at 3 o'clock on Monday afternoon. The lady has a most remarkable history and her story will be heard with great interest.  
—Rev. Alfred D. Barritt, pastor of the Congregational church in the City of Cienfuegos, Cuba, will give an address at the First church on Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m., upon his work in Cuba. He has four or five Cuban children with him who will sing many interesting Spanish songs. All are invited to come.  
—The U. S. Civil Service Commission announces that the annual examination for clerk and carrier at Newton Centre will be held in Boston on or about Nov. 21, 1900. Blank application forms and circulars of instructions pertaining to this examination can be obtained from Herbert F. Butler at the post office, or E. E. Stebbins, room 141 post office building, Boston, Mass. Application forms should be promptly executed and returned prior to the close of business on Oct. 23, 1900.

—Eben Sumner of Commonwealth avenue is at Intervale, N. H.  
—Attention is called to the Mother's Fest item in another column.  
—S. S. Wilder and family of Devon road have returned from Minot.  
—Mr. I. R. Stevens of Crystal street has returned from Buzzard's Bay.  
—Mrs. B. E. Taylor and family of Grant avenue are back from Pocomasset.  
—George S. Smith and family of Marshall street have returned from Pocomasset.  
—C. H. Dempsey and family of Ridge avenue are at home from Ossipee, N. H.  
—Mr. F. C. Hatch and family of Grant avenue are home from North Falmouth.  
—Frederic Mills and family of Homer street have returned from Sunapee, N. H.  
—John Wilson and family of Homer street are home after a visit at Kennebunk.  
—George Simes and family of Eastbourne road have returned from New Fane, Vt.  
—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tenney of Glenwood avenue have returned from Harwichport.  
—Albert Wetherbee and family have moved here and will reside at 54 Oxford road.  
—F. E. Banfield and family of Alden street have returned from a trip to Mirror Lake, N. H.  
—Mrs. Gustavus Forbes and Miss Bertha Forbes of Cypress street are at New London, N. H.  
—William H. Coolidge and family of Grey Cliff road have returned from Hyannisport.  
—George B. Baker and family of Marshall street have returned to their home after an extended absence.  
—Dr. W. W. McKibbin of Newbury street, who has been with the floating hospital, is now in Worcester.  
—Allen Daniels of Ripley street has gone to Lynn, where he will enter the employ of the General Electric Company.  
—Messrs. Colby and Lothrop Dill and Miss Helen Dill of Commonwealth avenue have returned from Lancaster, N. H.  
—Miss Belle English, who has been the guest of Mr. H. R. Luther of Beacon street, has returned to Brooklyn, N. Y.  
—An important meeting of the Ladies' Aid society was held in the vestry of the Methodist church last Wednesday afternoon.  
—Mrs. Morris Armstrong of Pleasant street has returned with her sister, Miss Hattie Lamprey, from a visit to her home in Amesbury.  
—Miss Ellen Burke of Langley road and Miss Annie Hickey of Beecher place have returned from an extended outing spent at Dark Harbor, Me.  
—At the residence of Rev. E. M. Noyes, pastor of the First church, on Warren street, last Wednesday occurred the marriage of Miss Jessie Kelley and Mr. John W. Mick. Rev. Mr. Noyes officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Mick will make their future home in Lorenz, W. Va.  
—Rev. C. M. Sheldon of Topeka, Kas., who recently returned from England, has been given eight months leave of absence by his church and is boarding with Mrs. Rowe on Institution avenue. Rev. Mr. Sheldon is the author of "In His Steps" and for one week was editor of the Daily Topeka Capital.  
—Mrs. Catherine Shugrue, a resident of Newton for 35 years, passed away at her home on Walnut street last Wednesday after an illness of three weeks' duration. A daughter survives her. The funeral was held from the house this morning at 8 o'clock, high mass following at the Church of the Sacred Heart at 9 o'clock. The interment was at Calvary cemetery.

#### NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—The flag staff on the Hyde school grounds has been repaired and painted.  
—Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Crowell have an addition to their family by the birth of a son.  
—The Hutchinson family of Lincoln street are at home from a summer's absence.  
—B. T. Cook and family of Erie avenue returned from a stay of two weeks' at Bath, Me.  
—Mrs. Walter Allen of Walnut street will start on Monday for a trip to Mexico to visit her son.  
—Lewis W. Sanford, the station agent at Woodland, has returned from a stay of a month in Nova Scotia.  
—Mr. Herbert N. Carter of Montford road has been enjoying his vacation at Eastern Point, Gloucester.  
—Miss Grace Allen, who has been a teacher at New Haven, has taken a position in the Newton High school.  
—Gordon R. Fisher and family, who have been summering at Cotuit, have arrived at their home on Lake avenue.  
—W. B. Taylor and family have returned to their home on Columbus street from an absence during the summer months.  
—S. E. Cobb, who has been spending his vacation here and at Rungley Lake, has returned to Pensacola, Florida.  
—Miss Wentworth, who has been the guest of Mrs. Sweetzer of Griffin avenue, has returned to her home in Dedham.  
—Miss Arvilla Harvey of Hyde street, who has been abroad visiting Paris and other places of interest, has arrived home.  
—George W. Hyde of the Bank of Redemption and family of Boston have moved to the Crosby house on Woodward street.  
—Miss Blanche Foster of Hillside road has taken a position as a teacher in the kindergarten department of the Waban school.  
—Miss L. M. Charney has returned to her home in Brooklyn, having spent the summer here with her aunt, Mrs. Douglas in Lake avenue.  
—The family of Mr. Sanderson of Boylston street, who have been spending the summer among relatives in Maine, have now returned home.  
—Rev. C. A. Reese of Raeburn terrace, who with his family have been spending the summer in the Winnetoesagee region are at their home again.  
—Alvan L. Greenwood has leased his estate on Floral avenue to Mr. Morris Wrigles who has a position with Messrs. Jordan Marsh & Co., and will occupy Sept. 15th.  
—U. L. Burns of Needham street has exchanged his estate for one in Medford which he has removed. Mr. Gannison with whom he exchanged now occupies the house on Needham street.  
—Mrs. A. F. Hayward, Fred Hayward and Miss Eva Gray, who have been spending the summer at Little Deer Lake, Me., have arrived home. Mrs. Hayward has been in Maine since her return from Europe.  
—Some of the young people and some no longer young had a very enjoyable "hay ride" on one of the late beautiful evenings, in the light of the moon and visited Waltham, Watertown and some of the Newtons.  
—Georgie Helen Marin, the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. M. C. Marin, gave a reception to about twenty of her young relatives and friends on Tuesday afternoon at her home on Boylston street, it being her sixth birthday anniversary.

—The Methodist church having been re-entitled and reorganized, will be opened next Sunday. The pastor, Rev. T. W. Bishop, will return from his outing at the shore this week. He will preach a short sermon in the morning to be followed by the Lord's supper. In the evening his theme will be, "Earnestness in Religion." A cordial welcome.  
—Hyde school is losing some of its best teachers. Miss Glashen, after long service, has retired, and it is reported she will enter into a new relation. Miss Henshaw has gone to the Willamette Normal school at a greatly increased salary. Mrs. W. E. Moore, formerly Miss Duffy, has also retired, and her sister has taken a position in the school. Miss Matteson, the teacher of Sloyd, has gone to the North Bennet Industrial school, Boston, with a much larger salary.

#### NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—H. E. Locke is spending ten days in New York on a business trip.  
—Miss Florence Billings returned last week from a month's stay in Maine.  
—The board of health are still among us inspecting the houses. Let the good work go on.  
—Mr. Kempton and wife of Elliot street returned last week from a visit at Nova Scotia.  
—Miss Mason, bookkeeper at the silk mill, is spending her vacation at Ohio and New Jersey.  
—Alarm 9 rang out our fire department twice the past week for fires in Appletons woods, Oak Hill.  
—Mr. Emery of the Pettee Machine Works has been spending a week at Somersworth, N. H.  
—The Ancient Order of United Workmen are to hold their meetings hereafter at Quinebaquin Hall.  
—Master Fred Mills celebrated his seventh birthday on Friday by giving a party to his young friends.  
—The Pierian Club held a special meeting at the home of its president on Wednesday afternoon of this week.  
—Mrs. Richard T. Sullivan and family have returned to their home in Elliot street after six weeks stay at the beach.  
—Three cases of typhoid pneumonia were taken to the Newton Hospital the past week from a house on Elliot street.  
—Mrs. Geo. Pettee and daughters of Pennsylvania avenue, who have been on a carriage drive the past week, returned to their home Monday.  
—Mr. Moses is building a house on Pennsylvania avenue on the Pettee property to be occupied by Mr. Arthur Thompson, who is to be married in October.  
—The subject of the Christian Endeavor meeting of the M. E. church on Tuesday evening, Sept. 11, was, "Our Simple Duty." The leader was Miss Mary L. Bird.  
—Mr. Kempton and Mr. Guyon, who have been in Utica, N. Y., the past few months in the employ of the Pettee Machine Works, have returned to this village.  
—There was an important meeting of the executive committee of the Upper Falls free reading room Wednesday evening when it was voted to make arrangements for giving the reading room over to the city as a branch of the public library.  
—The Womans Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church held its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. L. P. Everett on Monday afternoon at 3 p. m. There was a full attendance and after the business was transacted an interesting program followed. After a social hour during which tea was served the meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. Chas. Mills in October.

#### NONANTUM.

—Messrs. John and Martin Quinn are, spending three weeks' vacation at Fairfield, Me.

#### AUBURNDALE.

—Read the Allen School advertisement, page 7.  
—Rev. Mr. Worth preaches Sunday morning at the Methodist church at 10:30 on the subject of "Brotherly Love." The day school rally at 12, with addresses and music.

#### WABAN.

—Dr. and Mrs. Jordan returned Thursday from Swampscott.  
—Mr. G. M. Angier left last Saturday for a hunting trip in Maine.  
—Mrs. E. L. Zeis and daughters have returned from their Chatham summer home.  
—Mr. H. E. Wiley and family returned Monday from Maine where they have been three weeks.  
—Principal Pillsbury of the Waban school has just issued some neat time-tables of the trains running between this village and Boston.  
—Peter Major, who had a repair shop here in the Ashlaw block has moved to West Roxbury. The store vacated by him is to be occupied by a Miss Blood, who will keep a dry goods store.  
—Repairs are being made on the building of the Waban school for the opening of the fall term. Last September the new principal opened a new era for the school and its growth has been steady, though at first slow. The new year promises to be a prosperous one, and the fall term opens the 30th inst.  
—Windsor Hall, the school for girls, has been issued by Rev. G. B. Pillsbury, the principal of the Waban school for boys and will open Sept. 26 in charge of Miss Anna M. Goodnow. Miss Goodnow has had a private day school in Newton where she has won the most unqualified praise for her work as teacher.

#### Veteran Firemen's Doings.

A special meeting and drill of the Newton Veteran Firemen's Association was held Monday evening, when the members practiced for the muster to be held in Hingham, Tuesday, Sept. 25. Three associate members were elected.  
The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Veteran Firemen, held the first meeting for the season in the engine house on Watertown street, Monday evening. There was a good attendance and music and a social hour followed the business session.

#### Anxiety Relieved.

W. E. SCALES AND WIFE OF GALVESTON TEXAS, HEARD FROM—FATHER GETS ASSURING TELEGRAM.  
When the first reports of the Galveston disaster reached this city much anxiety was expressed, particularly in Wards One and Seven, concerning the well-being of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Scales. The former is a son of Dr. E. P. Scales of Centre street and well known throughout the city. Yesterday morning a telegram was received by the young man's father assuring him of the safety of himself and wife. He said the devastation was fully as terrible as reported.  
Mr. William Edward Scales has been a resident of Galveston for several years, and on June 12 of this year was married to Miss Ella Elizabeth Griffin of that city.

#### Norumbega Park.

A splendid vaudeville show is promised at the Rustic Theatre in Norumbega Park, next week, in the engagement of the Metropolitan. Included in this company are Miller and Benah, comedy sketch artists; the Judges, acrobats, and Lester and Stevens, in a humorous acrobatic dancing act. The new comers will find it difficult to surpass the work of the New York Specialty Co. which is playing at the Park this week. This latter is one of the best attractions of the season, for each artist is a specialist of the highest order and all the acts are bright.  
The Chalet has astonished everyone, including the management of the Park. Unquestionably an admission fee, be it ever so small, deters people from entering the place where it is charged, but in this part of the park, the only one where a fee is required, the books show an attendance that is a very large portion of the total gate figures. The mystery performed in the building are of course startling, and have been advertised by word of mouth all over this end of the state, but the management is exceedingly gratified at the showing this new feature has made.

#### Residents Losing Milk.

There have been reported of late an unusual number of thefts of cans of milk. The alleged thieves are operating in Wards 1 and 7, at least it is from that part of the city the complaints emanate. The police are watching carefully and will undoubtedly break up the thieving even if they are not successful in apprehending the thieves.

#### For Bathhouse at Crystal Lake.

Members of the Newton Center and Newton Highlands village improvement societies, it is reported, will unite in petition for a bathhouse on the shores of Crystal Lake. The scheme is said to be generally favored on the south side where the need of an institution of this character has long been recognized.

#### The Farmer's and Cattle Owner's Association.

About sixty gentlemen, among whom were Chairman Peters of the State Cattle Commission, ex Representative Parker of Holden, and Senator Patch of Foxboro, were visitors at the Wauwinnat Farm last Monday upon invitation of Mr. Geo. H. Ellis. These gentlemen are members of the Farmer's and Cattle Owner's Association, and which was organized several years ago to oppose legislation by the state requiring compulsory use of tuberculin. Mr. Ellis was one of the first and still continues to be one of the foremost advocates of the use of tuberculin, and this visit of his one time opponents was peculiarly interesting.

The gentlemen were very much pleased with the appearance of the cows and the working of the farm, and one member advised his associates to abandon the idea of the frequent use of tuberculin in favor of the health of cattle, when Mr. Ellis showed them cows which had been tested for over ten times.  
The Association held its regular dinner at the Woodland Park Hotel at which Chairman Peters said that he wished that there was a stricter law regarding the bringing of cattle into the state, so that he could force it, with power to punish those who might break it. While there has been no perceptible increase of tuberculosis under the present law, it is said that the best daymen continue the inspection of their herds, and that they have no doubt that the law which was repealed was in the right direction, though it was enforced too rigorously. On the other hand, those who procured the repeal of the law are sure that they were in the right of it.

#### Basil B. Wood Gets Scholarship.

Basil B. Wood, son of President Wood of the Newton Theological Institution, has been awarded the first Boston Latin school scholarship for the class 1900. Its value is estimated at \$100. He excelled particularly in the classics and was also very proficient in the modern studies. He is 19 years old and will enter Harvard with the incoming freshman class.

#### Woodland Park Hotel.

New arrivals: Mr. T. C. Williams and wife, Tarrytown, N. Y.; C. A. Persons, Worcester; W. A. Jones, Boston; Harry A. Priest and wife, Auburndale; T. M. Penall, W. B. Stedman and family, Boston; A. B. Canfield, Camden, N. J.; Miss M. Palmer, Philadelphia, Pa.; Whitcomb Field, Milton; Walter G. Horton, Boston; Mrs. H. M. Soule and son, Newton; H. B. Stedman, Hartford, Conn.; Mrs. Wm. H. Horton, Boston; Wm. Miller and daughter, Dallas, Texas; M. C. Hayes and family, West Newton; G. H. Hooper and son, Chelsea, Ill.; L. R. Tucker, A. Tucker, D. F. Pike and wife, E. W. Burt, J. C. Baird and wife, Miss F. H. Stevens, Boston; N. Willis Bumstead, Auburndale; M. N. Smith and wife, Brookline; E. L. Sawyer, New York, N. Y.; Mrs. L. A. Scott and family.

#### Wheelman Hurt on Boulevard.

Arthur Bailey, 25, of 39 Worcester square, Boston, was riding a bicycle on Commonwealth avenue near the Boston line at Chestnut Hill about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when he lost control of the machine and was thrown to the ground. He received severe bruises on the right side of the head and a bad shaking up. Newton hospital.

#### Golf Events.

The first day's play in the September cup match opened Saturday afternoon on the links of the Newton Golf Club. Play was 18 holes, handicap, and the players scoring the three lowest net scores will be credited each Saturday with 3, 2 and 1 points respectively. The player winning the most points during the four competitions secures the cup.  
On the links of the Bras Burn Club, Saturday afternoon, an 18-hole handicap foursome tournament was the feature. The prize for the best net score was won by A. J. Holden and F. B. Witherbee, whose card was 99, 20, 73. A. W. Lincoln and George T. Lincoln, with 95, 16, 99, won the prize for the best gross score.

A handicap mixed foursome match was played Saturday on the links of the Newton Centre Golf Club. F. H. Hovey and W. B. Merrill and J. A. Daniels and A. A. Tilney were tied for first place, each with a net score of 91.  
Despite the disadvantages of a high wind, nine women members of the Newton Golf Club contested Wednesday afternoon in a nine-hole handicap match. The scores were excellent, considering the conditions.

The team match scheduled for Wednesday afternoon, between Newton Centre and Medford, was postponed.  
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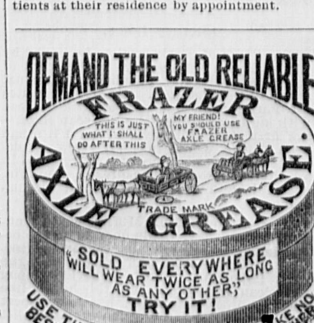
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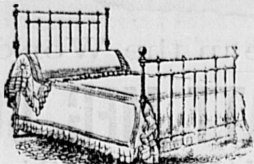
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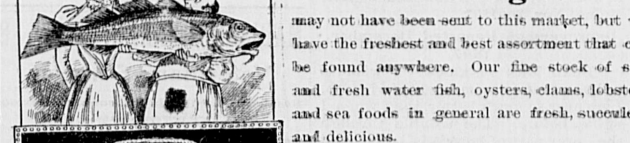
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### NEWTON.

For other Newton items see pages 3-8.

—Pianos, Farley, 433 Washington St. 11

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—Mr. Peter Y. Hoesason left Friday for a business trip to Nova Scotia. 11

—Mr. Harold Paine of Charlesbank road has returned from New Hampshire.

—Mr. Charles Whittemore and family of Summit street have returned from Onset.

—Mrs. Charles Parker of Centre street has returned from an outing in St. John, N. S.

—Miss Mary Lewis Spear of Wesley street returns this week from New Hampshire.

—Mr. James McGibney left Tuesday for a trip to Portland and other points in Maine.

—Mr. James H. Wheeler and family of Franklin street returned Monday from a vacation.

—Mr. E. E. Elms and family of Hunnewell avenue have returned from their vacation.

—Miss Adams, who has been spending the summer in Westboro, is now located at Norwood.

—Mr. William O. Delano and family of Washington street have returned from Marshfield.

—Mr. E. T. Eustis and family of Allston have moved into the Hitehouse house on Hollis street.

—Mrs. Kempshall and Miss Kempshall returned this week and are at their home on Durant street.

—Be sure and attend the auction sale of furniture 291 Washington street, Saturday night at 7.30.

—3 doz. Boston Bags, 25c each. Regular price 50c. Saturday and Monday only, at Otis Brothers, Newton.

—Mr. and Mrs. William H. Blodgett have returned to Newton and are guests at the Hotel Hunnewell.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chester Guild with their children are at home from a season's sojourn at Kennebunkport.

—Mr. J. G. Coburn of Washington street has recovered from his illness and was able to be out the last of the week.

—Mr. Harris E. Johnson of Pearl street returned Tuesday from a vacation trip in New York and New Jersey.

—Mr. George P. Gross of Hunnewell terrace is spending a few days with his father at New Gloucester, Me.

—Miss Elmer Magarity of Wilmington, Del., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. George D. Byfield of Eldredge street.

—Mrs. Harry Arnold of Bangor, Me., has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. Sturgis Potter of Walnut park.

—Mr. E. Pike, electrician and licensed gas fitter, has moved to 233 Newton. 11

—Mrs. Morrison, who is visiting her daughter, Mr. J. K. Overing and the Misses Overing of Nebraska are spending the week here with friends.

—An informal entertainment is to be given in the parish house of Grace church next Monday evening at the reunion of the members of the Sunday school.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Drew and Mrs. Bertha Drew have returned from Europe. Miss Drew has been spending a year abroad pursuing a special course of study.

—The Women's Auxiliary will meet in the association parlour, Sept. 24th at 3 o'clock. Ladies not members will always be very welcome at all the meetings of the Auxiliary.

—Prof. Mary W. Calkins, who has been connected with psychological work at Wellesley College for the past ten years, has become full professor of the department of psychology and philosophy, and has entered upon her new duties.

—Miss Alice Brayton, who resided until recently with her sister, Mrs. O. F. Black of William street, was married the last of the week at Albany, N. Y. to Mr. John Valentine. Mr. and Mrs. Valentine will make their home for the present at Albany.

—There is only one ladies hairdressing parlor in Newton and that is Mrs. L. P. Elliott Anderson's. Here ladies desiring to prepare for parties, weddings or receptions can be served just as well as going to Boston. Ladies can be waited on at their residence if they desire. 11

—The many friends here of Mr. Charles Barry Clark, clerk in the Newton Savings Bank, will be interested to learn of his marriage, Monday, to Miss Grace Smart, the ceremony taking place at the bride's home in Methuen. On their return from their wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Clark will reside on Channing street.

### Political News.

We are requested by Mr. Abbott Bassett, chairman of the Legislative Committee on the L. A. W., to call the attention of the wheelmen of Newton to the fact that when the bicycle baggage bill was before the Legislature of which Hon. Fred H. Williams of Brookline, the competitor of Mr. Powers for the Republican Congressional nomination, was a member, he proved himself to be one of those dangerous corporation politicians against whom he is now launching epithets. The vote was a tie until Mr. Williams cast his ballot in favor of the corporations. Mr. Bassett also adds that the gentlemen working for the bill had no expectation of securing Mr. Williams' vote, as he was regarded as one of the "corporation members."

Abner Greenwood of Ashland, one of the numerous candidates for the Republican nomination for senator, is a lineal descendant of Thomas Greenwood, town clerk of Newton over two hundred years ago.

The managers of Mr. Powers' canvass have issued a fine half tone photograph of their candidate, and the usual campaign buttons are much in evidence.

—A McKinley and Roosevelt torchlight battalion is being organized in this place the meetings and drills being held each evening in Hunt's old carpenter shop under the direction of Capt. Harry Imman.

The Republican senatorial convention for the district will be held in Knights of Pythias Hall, So. Framingham, on Monday, Oct. 1st, at 2 p. m.

The following Presidential tickets have been placed in nomination, to date: Republican—For President, William McKinley of Ohio; for Vice President, Theodore Roosevelt of New York.

Democratic—William J. Bryan of Nebraska; for Vice President, Adlai E. Stevenson of Illinois.

Silver Republican—William J. Bryan of Nebraska; Adlai E. Stevenson of Illinois.

Fusion Populist—William J. Bryan of Nebraska; Adlai E. Stevenson of Illinois.

Middle of the Road Populist—Wharton Barker of Pennsylvania; Ignatius Donnelly of Minnesota.

Prohibition—J. Woolley of Illinois; Henry B. Metcalf of Rhode Island.

Social Democrats—Eugene V. Debs of Indiana; Job Harriman of California.

Social Labor—John F. Malloney of Massachusetts; Valentine Remmel of Pennsylvania.

United Christian—J. F. R. Leonard of Iowa; Charles M. Sheldon of Kansas.

Anti-Imperialist—William J. Bryan of Nebraska; no endorsement for second place.

National—Donelson Caffery of Louisiana; Archibald M. Howe of Massachusetts.

National Union Reform—Seth Ellis of Ohio; Samuel T. Nicholson of Pennsylvania.

County Commissioner Samuel O. Upham of Waltham will have to fight for a renomination, being opposed by Senator Patch of Boston and Mr. George A. Roper of Lowell.

A number of Watertown Republicans well known supporters of Mr. Samuel Powers, of Newton, who is a candidate for Congress from this, the eleventh district, are leaving and organizing the H. H. Sawyer Club of Watertown.

Mr. H. H. Sawyer is president, Leigh Macurdy, secretary, and J. A. Bridges, treasurer. The executive committee is composed of H. H. Sawyer, C. R. Fletcher and S. S. Gleason—Watertown Enterprise.

Mr. Powers addressed the Republican rally in Haverhill City Hall, last Monday evening, sharing the stage with Congressman Littlefield of Maine. His invitation was a deserving compliment to his ability to discuss national issues, and is so understood by the voters of this district.

The clever satire of the Somerville Journal on the Onley letter will be found in another column.

E. C. Jenney, a lawyer and ex-postmaster of Hyde Park, is reported as a candidate for the Democratic Congressional nomination against Wm. H. Baker of Newton.

Congressman Sprague had about 6000 majority two years ago, and the Democratic nomination is apparently an empty honor.

There was nearly a score of Auburndale democrats in McVie's hall on Auburn street, Tuesday evening, who met for the purpose of organizing a Bryan Club.

There were several speakers including Messrs. P. A. McVie, W. H. Baker, W. N. Osgood, George P. Washburn, president of the Massachusetts Bryan Club, and Mr. Peterson of Biddeford, Me. At the conclusion of the addresses the meeting adjourned until next Tuesday evening, when the organization will be made permanent.

A correspondent writes us that "the conditions in the first Middlesex Senatorial District remain about the same. What with the bitter fight that is going on in Natick, if either man were nominated he would likely be killed at the polls and a Democrat again elected. It will require a management on the part of the Republicans to straighten matters out. It looks at the present writing as if ex Representative Geo. H. Bond of West Newton was the most available candidate named, and would come nearest meeting the different sections than any other. He is so well and favorably known in the upper part of the District (having lived in Framingham for many years) that the fact of his residence being in Newton would not militate against him as it might with other candidates from this end of the District. It is certainly desirable that a man of judgment and business ability should be sent to the State House this year, as weighty questions, vital to Newton's interests are sure to come before the Senate."

The convention to nominate a Republican candidate for the Eleventh Congressional District will be held in Union Hall, Boylston street, Boston, on Oct. 3d, 1900, at 10.30 a. m.

The Middlesex County Republican Convention will be held in Huntington Hall, Lowell, Oct. 3th, 1900, at 10.30 a. m.

It is expected that Gov. Roosevelt will be the principal speaker at a rally to be held in Tremont Temple on Oct. 27th.

One week after Mr. Bryan made his speech four years ago accepting the Presidential nomination, Mr. Bourke Cockran procured a hall and replied to him. In this he said of the pending question: "It is an issue of common honesty, an issue between the honest discharge and the dishonest repudiation of public and private obligations. On this question the honest men cannot differ."

—I will venture to say here and now that if the face of Providence should be averted from this land, and such a calamity of Mr. Bryan's election were permitted by it, the man who would suffer most by that event would be the false prophet, who, having torn down the temple of credit and of industry, would be torn to pieces by an outraged public whose prosperity he had ruined. The Democratic National Committee announces that Mr. Cockran is about to take the stump for Mr. Bryan, who said in Milwaukee on Saturday, "The position of the Democratic party on the money question has undergone no change." Lord Beaconsfield once referred to his very distinguished and eloquent rival, Mr. Gladstone, as "a sophistical rhetorician, inebriated with the exuberance of his own verbosity."—N. Y. Journal of Commerce.

## GROWING FAST.

Our Population is Now  
33,587.

A Gain of 37.77 Per Cent.  
Over 1890.

The Census Bureau announces the population of Newton as 33,587, a gain of 928, or 37.77 per cent. over the national census of 1890, and of 5997, or 21.73 per cent. over the state census of 1895.

The following table shows the gain by wards:

	1890	1895	1900	Gain over 1890 in per cent.
Ward 1	3434	4287	4599	31.33
" 2	4409	5412	5719	29.16
" 3	3752	3433	3463	47.15
" 4	3579	3374	3312	9.39
" 5	3127	4114	5663	81.10
" 6	2772	4249	5351	28.53
" 7	2166	2539	3149	44.90
Totals	24,779	27,299	33,587	

The phenomenal growth of Ward 5 and the small increase in Ward 4, are partially accounted for by the fact that the ward lines have been materially changed since 1890, and the entire village of Waban, transferred from Ward 4 into Ward 5, although it is undoubtedly true that Waban, Eliot and Newton Highlands have made substantial gains in population.

Wards Three and Seven show a very material gain, probably due to the opening up and subsequent development of large tracts of available building lands on West Newton hill, Hunnewell hill and Farlow hill.

In 1890, and again in 1895, Newton was the eighteenth city in the state ranking by population, and it would seem from the statistics thus far obtained that we should go up a peg or two in this respect when the returns are all in.

### Powers versus Williams.

To the Editor of the Graphic:

Suppose a stranger to Mr. Williams and Mr. Powers alike should simply read their addresses before different political gatherings of late as reported in the press. If decisions of voting for the better man to represent at Washington the mental and moral status, the culture and civilization of Massachusetts, would be in doubt for whom to vote? I know not. Mr. Williams is an entire stranger to me personally, but his remarks as reported, especially those relating to his political opponent, indicate qualities of mind and heart, as contrasted with those reported of Mr. Powers, very unlike and to me of a lower order. Such as we of this congressional district should not be satisfied with. I for one, who in times past have voted for Horace Mann, J. Wiley Edmunds, Chas. Francis Adams, Judge Thomas, William Claflin and George S. Boutwell, trust the opportunity to vote for Mr. Williams will not be accorded me.

Undoubtedly Mr. Powers' views upon many features and acts of the McKinley administration will not agree with my own, but my knowledge of and admiration for the high, all round character of Mr. Powers will impel me, though an independent and anti-imperialist, to cast my vote for him, should the opportunity be afforded me, as I judge it will be. NATHL T. ALLEN.

West Newton, Sept. 19, 1900.

### The Masons.

The officers of the Newton Royal Arch chapter were installed Tuesday evening in Masonic Temple, Newtonville, by Companion Albert L. Harwood, assisted by Acting Grand Captain George I. Whitmore and Acting Grand Chaplain William D. Gilman.

After witnessing the installation some 300 members of the fraternity from lodges within the jurisdiction of the Newton chapter adjourned to the lower hall and partook of a banquet given in honor of the new officers. Those elected are: High priest, Edward P. Hite; king, Charles D. Burrage; scribe, Dr. Charles H. Fessenden; treasurer, Lewis E. Binney; secretary, Henry C. Fisher; chaplain, Gorham D. Gilman; captain of the host, Horton S. Allen; principal sojourner, James S. Ryker; chapter captain, Frank S. Morris; master of the third veil, Austin H. Deatur; master of the second veil, Charles A. Hubbard; master of the first veil, David W. Sander; senior steward, Charles W. Hatch; junior steward, Samuel E. Thompson; organist, George H. Brown; Tyler, James Pickens.

### Newton Choral Association.

The examinations for active membership in the Choral Association will take place Oct. 1st. In order that all may have a copy of the music, Keller's "American Hymn of Peace," has been selected by the director, and copies of the same may be obtained at Harrington's News Store, Centre street, Newton. The place and time of the examinations will be in the next week's issue of this paper.

### The New Bigelow School.

The members of the committee on decorating the new Bigelow schoolhouse had a four hours session last Tuesday in Boston selecting the frames for the pictures for the walls.

The prospect now is that this schoolhouse will be far ahead in some respects of any in the state when it is finished. It is suggested that there should be a public opening day, and some explanation of the scheme of decoration, and that a catalogue explanatory of the pictures be printed for the use of the pupils and visitors. The committee consists of Messrs. Tyler, Berry, Sawin, Bailey and Shinn.

The gifts of citizens have thus far amounted to \$250, but the chairman, Mr. H. E. Bothfield will be glad to receive more to make the work complete.

### The Singers.

The first rehearsal of "The Singers" takes place on Thursday evening, October 4th, in Bray's small hall, Newton Centre, at 7.30 o'clock. It is hoped that many of the residents of Newton will avail themselves of this opportunity for becoming active members. Altos and tenors are especially desired. The committee will be very glad to meet candidates for the chorists at the home of Mrs. D. A. White, 110 Glen avenue, on Monday evening, Sept. 24th, at 7.30 o'clock, and would suggest they bring with them some musical selection with which they are familiar.

This is a Georgia boy's account of his father's entrance into politics: "Dad has took the stump. I dunno who run him up to, but he's on it just the same. Dad is after a cilia. One paper says he is a born liar; 'nuttier one says he stole a horse, an' 'nuttier one says he run off with a widdier. We'n I heard all them things she said she thought, she knowed him before, but is glad she found him out at last, an' jest wait till she catches him again!"—Atlanta Constitution.



## CITY GOVERNMENT.

## Reduction of Appropriation For Contagious Wards at Hospital.

New Structure to Cost but \$30,000.—Part of Present Plans Will Be Used.

A regular meeting of the aldermen was held last Monday evening, President Bailey calling Aldermen Chesley, Dana, Fisher, Fitzpatrick, Lowell, Lathrop, Norris, Pond, Puffer, Stickney, Trowbridge, Wardwell, Warren, Wood and Weeks to order promptly at 7.45 o'clock.

## PETITIONS.

A petition of Bernard Early to move the old House at Lower Falls a short distance on Washington street, duly approved by Deputy Street Commissioner Stuart and Inspector of Wires Randlett, was granted.

Petition of Perry et al for sewer in Kensington street, West Newton, was referred to the sewer committee. Petitions of Traister et al, for street light on Kenrick street, Newton; of Homer et al, on Otis street, Newtonville; of Williams et al, on California street, Newtonville, were referred to the committee on street lights. Petitions of the N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. for pole locations on Bellevue street and Kenrick street, Newton, and of the N. & W. Gas Light Co. for pole locations on Cedar street, Newton Centre, were also referred to the committee on street lights and poles, and hearings ordered thereon for Oct. 10th.

Petitions of H. F. Ross for sidewalk on Walnut street; of F. B. Kendall for sidewalk on Prospect avenue, and of Kendall et al., for a crosswalk on Grove Hill avenue were referred to the committee on highways.

## REPORTS.

The report of the finance committee that it was inexpedient to pass an additional bond order of \$11,000 for new contagious wards at Newton hospital was referred to the committees on finance and public property for joint conference.

## MAYOR'S VETO.

The finance committee reported that the veto of the Mayor of the order appropriating \$10,000 for Metropolitan Park assessment, should be sustained, and by unanimous vote the action of the Mayor was approved.

The finance committee also reported favorably upon orders appropriating \$580.75 for payment of certain sums of interest; appropriating \$500 for erection of a public urinal in Nonantum square; and requests of the school committee for additional appropriation of \$55 for conveyance of pupils in general, and \$500 for the same object in the Bigelow district.

This committee also recommended reference to the committee on public property of the request of the school committee for appropriations to care for surplus pupils in the Williams district, and the matter was so referred.

## HIGHWAY MATTERS.

The committee on highways reported favorably upon new concrete sidewalks adjoining premises of Mary F. Haskell, Paul street, Newton Centre; of Martha W. Little, Oxford road, Newton Centre; and of Messrs. Burrage, Hinckley, Homer and Mrs. Kinz on Sterling street, West Newton, and orders authorizing construction were adopted.

The committee, although rather late in the season, also recommended that North Prospect street, West Newton, and North School street, Newton, should be watered, and the board also endorsed this action of the committee.

The proposed amendment to the ordinance relating to the assessment of betterments, recommended by the highway committee, was referred to the committee on ordinances.

## STREET RAILWAYS.

The highway committee reported in favor of widening portions of Walnut, Crafts and Waltham streets to sixty feet, as contemplated by the board when the franchise was granted the Newton Street Railway Company, and public hearings on October first were ordered.

Alderman Weeks introduced an order correcting the records of the board in the matter of plans of location of tracks in these streets, and which was promptly adopted, upon brief explanation of the fact that the original plans filed by the Newton Street Railway Company contemplated a side location of tracks; the board of aldermen, however, granted a center location, and action was necessary to correct the discrepancy.

The committee on journal presented its usual report as to the records of the board and it was accepted.

## SEWERS.

The sewer committee recommended the seizure of land in Kenwood avenue, Newton Centre, for sewer purposes. This route is a substitute for the Morton street sewer, to which considerable opposition was raised at the hearing last week. This route is intended to reach the corner of Cedar street and Commonwealth avenue, and while the Kenwood avenue route is longer than that of Morton street, it will accommodate more people. The same committee also recommended the seizure of land near the Washington street railroad bridge in order to provide an outlet for a proposed sewer in Virginia road. This route is rendered necessary by the refusal of the Boston & Albany Railroad to allow the city to lay a sewer in the gutter adjoining its tracks.

On both of these reports orders were adopted assigning hearings on October 1st. The sewer committee also recommended settlement with the M. G. Crane estate for land damages in Cold Spring swamp for \$208.50, and the construction of a short piece of sewer in Commonwealth avenue near Morsland avenue, Newton Centre, and appropriate orders were adopted by the board.

The committee reported in favor of allowing the town of Watertown to connect a house in Watertown with the Newton sewer on payment of an amount equal to the usual sewer assessment, and the recommendation was adopted.

## WASHINGTON STREET.

Alderman Lathrop, chairman of the highway committee, presented an order for the widening and altering of Washington street between Wales street and the Charles river at the Lower Falls, and after correcting a clerical error at the suggestion of the president, it was referred to the committee on finance. Mr. Lathrop then introduced an order assigning a hearing on October first, for making a small additional widening in connection with the same street, stating that the matter had been informally considered and approved by his committee, as part of the improvement contemplated at the Lower Falls. This order was adopted, and another order appropriating \$11,000 for the cost of construction and probable land damages on the work was referred to the committee on finance.

Under the head of unfinished business, the various election officers nominated by Mayor Wilson at the last meeting were unanimously confirmed.

## IN SAFETY.

## Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Scales Had Narrow Escape.

## Unharmful Mid Rages of the Galveston Flood.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Scales of Galveston, Texas, the former a son of Dr. E. P. Scales of Centre street, have written to their relatives here describing the ravages of the awful disaster which ruined the island city. Their letters, which we print by the courtesy of Dr. Scales, will be read with much interest by Newton people. Mrs. W. E. Scales writes:

Galveston, Sept. 10, 1900.

My Dear Folks:—There was a very high wind blowing all night Friday and continued with rain up to afternoon Saturday, when the bay and gulf met, dilling all houses with at least three feet of water. That was bad enough, but it rained in torrents and blew from 60 to 100 miles an hour, from 2 to 10 p. m.

Our house stood it quite well, but was, of course, soaked with rain as our deck blew off. We fortunately have two dry rooms. Win was six feet deep in front of Wm. Parr & Co.'s; he waded up at twelve after the water receded. Our next door neighbors came over at five thirty for safety, and as our house shook so dreadfully, Mr. Flood hauled a boat that was passing, and what with his two coal carts got us all out and down to the Court House.

Mother and I were put in the boat and carried down the avenue at a terrific speed, knocking fallen trees, etc., and were upset twice; the first time we clung to a fallen tree and the second, just in front of the Court House, were rescued by Mr. Flood's brother, who swam out for us. Some one told Will early Sunday a. m. that we were at the Court House, so taking some eatables out of the pantry, he came to us, since the flood was good as we had not had anything for about twenty-four hours.

Early in the evening Mr. Flood sent his drays out to Brother (Postmaster Griffin), who could not possibly have been saved had he not, and took him and his wife to the post office. They have lost everything save the clothes on their backs.

We came back to the house Sunday morning and got along very nicely for we have something to eat in the pantry, but if it decides to rain we shall be flooded again. Whole families were lost and not a whole house on the island, hundreds completely demolished. God has indeed been merciful to us as we are left to each other. Love to all, ELLA.

## MR. SCALES' LETTER.

Sept. 14, 1900.

Galveston, Texas.

Dear Folks:—I sent a paper yesterday that gives a better account than I can of the storm, which was a hurricane. There was no tidal wave.

From Saturday morning till 10 that night the wind steadily increased, and at 3 o'clock blew steadily northeast at 60 miles, and ran up to 120 from six to nine, then shifted into the south and blew at remaining part of the night about 90 miles an hour. As soon as the wind stopped its tremendous velocity, the waters receded gradually.

It was at the office until nine p. m., the windows all gone and slates, etc., coming in like a thousand of brick all the time, when we (about 15 men), heard the building opposite to down the street intervening was 8 feet deep with water and much; we each grabbed what we could and went over to rescue the people caught in the debris. I think were killed, and as many injured, and as many jumped and escaped serious injury. Had I not taken a crow bar I should have been washed a block or two by the current in the street.

At twelve that night we had to leave all the living who were in further danger, and I started homeward. The day before I had a very bad cold on my lungs and feared pneumonia. I had had nothing but stimulants since breakfast and was very weak, and home, which I knew was the highest part of the island, thinking to find Ella and her mother there. I took off my trousers and wrapped them around my neck to protect me against the wind and rain, and threw my way fifteen blocks among fallen wires, all kinds of floating stuff and broken buildings, the water being on the average up to my knees.

I did not get a fall nor a scratch, but it took me an hour to make the distance. I found the women had become scared about six and gone with neighbors in a boat. There were 25 deaths in the house, and I found the water level was 8 feet deep. The folks had gone over to the Gresham stone house three blocks away, I went over there at 10 to be told they had not been there at all.

Well, I was tired and weak and did not know where to go to look for them, so returned to the house again, and finding one room where the bed was dry, water coming down all around it in torrents, I lay down and slept three hours.

In the morning, and such a Sunday morning, I heard Ella and mother had been all night at the Court House, about seven blocks distant and worried about me. There were no lights, no gas, no water to drink, nothing but death and destruction wherever one looked.

Many of the cisterns had been overturned, ours under the house was full of salt water, the wind threw the salt water at least 150 feet high, as a bucket put out of Holiver Point last house at 300 feet.

In our house the deck of the roof is gone, also chimney, and the house badly wrecked. Tuesday I got a tarpaulin and covered the top of the house, so as to protect us from any natural storm; yesterday got some lime and had it scattered under the house.

The water came in on the first floor, covering the carpets and rugs, and Monday I pulled them up and put out in the yard to dry. Outside our fence is a large pile of debris, (but nothing dead under it), and we got it cleared away shortly.

Our chimney was carried over fence and d shed through the roof of the next house, and never stopped till it got clear down to the ground floor.

The beggars description; the newspapers can give no idea of what happened to Galveston. We have all tried to be brave, cheerful and patient, but the force at hand is altogether inadequate to put things to rights right off, and we are all thankful that all were saved to each other, when 23 of the people on the island and nearly mainland lost either home or relatives. Love to all from all here, Yours, WM. E. SCALES.

## Norumbega Park.

Norumbega Park closes on Sunday, after a season of unprecedented success. Eighteen different vaudeville companies have appeared at the Rustic Theatre, all of an exceptionally high order. The Chaiet was a new feature and an enjoyable one, and every other attraction has been better than ever. Without doubt Norumbega will keep on growing in popularity. While the regular season virtually ends on Sunday, people will be admitted until the late fall, the animals are always to be seen, and lovers of nature will find the Park an unexcelled beauty spot in its autumn foliage.

## Police Paragraphs.

Court Officer M. C. Laffie is enjoying his annual vacation, and his seat in the court room is occupied by Patrolman Peter McAbert, who has already proved himself very efficient in the discharge of his new duties.

A telephone message was received at police headquarters about noon Monday which came from the residence of Mr. A. C. Warren on Chestnut street, West Newton. The person who called up said that a young man had been to the house and his actions aroused suspicion. Upon being ordered away he refused to leave, it was stated to the police. Patrolman Martin Neagle scoured the hill and found a man who gave the name of Harry R. Everett. He was identified by the servant at Mr. Warren's and later looked up on a charge of wilful trespass. The young man told the police he manufactured and sold soap and lived in Waltham. Tuesday morning Patrolman Neagle accompanied him to his boarding place in that city. The officer found a quantity of a well-known brand of soap. The cakes had been cut into small pieces and covered with tinfoil. This is what, so the police say, the young man was buying for 8 cents and selling for 50 cents a cake. On the wrapper of each cake was the following: "World's Fair grease eraser for cleaning silk, satin, kid gloves and woolen goods." The accused said his name was H. R. Everett, and that he manufactured the soap in his room. Patrolman Neagle says that Everett did not deny that he had taken another kind of soap, and made smaller cakes of it. Neagle says Everett told him he had a perfect right to do so. Wednesday morning Everett was arraigned in court on a charge of trespass. The police had been looking up his antecedents in the meantime but had nothing to report. Everett admitted that all he had said to Patrolman Neagle was true. He however claimed the cakes of soap he sold were saturated with oxalic acid. He was fined \$5 for trespassing.

Mrs. Hannah Cox was charged in the police court Wednesday morning with allowing fowl to run unrestrained on the premises of Daniel Freeman of 120 Pine street, West Newton. The complainant, who said Mrs. Cox was a neighbor who had a large number of obnoxious hens. These hens, he continued, destroyed \$10 worth in his garden and although he had implored Mrs. Cox to keep them at home she paid no attention to him. He said he caught one of the hens in his garden last Saturday and kept it as evidence. Mrs. Cox was nearby at the time, he declared, and he held the fowl in front of her for identification. To his query she only replied, "Well, I hope you'll have good soup for dinner tomorrow." This was the substance of the evidence. The case was referred to the grand jury. Mrs. Cox addressed the court in her own behalf, telling how the hens were not hers but her daughter's. They were the property of her son, she said, and she knew how to take care of them any way. Mrs. Cox was found guilty, however, and the case placed on file.

## Endured Death's Agonies.

Only a roving fire enabled J. M. Garrett, of Andover, Mass., to be downed when attacked by Asbina, from which he suffered for years. He writes his misery was often so great that it seemed he endured the agonies of death; but Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption wholly cured him. This marvelous medicine is the only known cure for Asthma as well as Consumption, Coughs and Colds, and all Throat, Chest and Lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed. Trial bottles free at Arthur Hudson's drug store.

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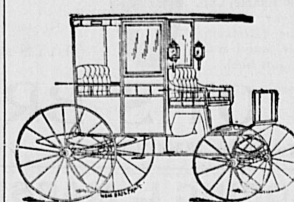


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## NOTICES

of all local entertainments to which admis-  
sion fee is charged must be paid for at regu-  
lar rates, 25 cents per line in the reading  
matter, or \$1 per inch in advertising columns.THE METROPOLITAN PARK ASSES-  
MENT.The award of the commissioners appointed  
by the Supreme Court to determine the  
proportion in which the various cities and  
towns in the Metropolitan district shall pay  
towards the sinking fund, interest and  
maintenance accounts of the Metropolitan  
Park Commission, has been made public.  
The commissioners simply determine the  
percentages to be paid, after assessing  
Boston with one half of the total amount,  
as directed by the Legislature. The follow-  
ing figures are a conservative estimate of  
what may be expected in a few cases:Newton, \$26,687.08; Cambridge, \$28,480.59;  
Chelsea, \$7,439.08; Lynn, \$14,863.69; Somer-  
ville, \$17,977.81; and Brookline, \$31,217.62.  
From these figures it will be seen that New-  
ton pays nearly the same amount as Cam-  
bridge with three times the population; Chelsea  
with about the same population pays less than  
one third of what we do, while Lynn with  
double our population, and Somerville, almost  
as large, are not in our class as regards assess-  
ments. It will also be seen from the large  
amounts assessed on Newton and Brookline,  
that valuation was the basis upon which the  
commission worked, other factors, like popu-  
lation, (the people who use the park) and prox-  
imity to the park system, evidently not being  
considered.We desire to protest against the in-  
justice of the award of the Commission.  
In assessing Newton with so large a  
proportion of the cost of taking land and  
maintaining parks, the principal part of  
which has been caused by work at such  
distant points as Middlesex Fells, Revere  
Beach, Nantasket Beach and the Blue Hills.  
We feel that the city is paying rather high  
for the few acres of land taken by the state  
in the Upper Falls, Lower Falls and along  
the banks of the River, and agree with the  
Boston Herald "that the dissatisfied mun-  
icipalities will feel themselves justified in  
making a vehement protest if a dollar more  
of money is spent in the work of park or  
parkway construction."

## THE CAUCUSES.

On Monday, Sept. 24th, the Republicans  
of this city are called upon to select their  
standard bearers for the various offices to  
be filled at the coming election. It is a  
favorite habit of newspapers to urge upon  
the citizens at this time the importance of  
exercising their privilege of choosing from  
their own party, the man or men who will  
best represent the particular ideas or prin-  
ciples in which they believe. It is un-  
doubtedly the fact, that the caucus is re-  
ceiving far more attention from the average  
voter than ever before, especially in those  
districts where one party or the other is in  
such complete control that its nomination  
is equivalent to an election. The caucus  
for the party nomination in such cases is  
usually far more interesting and exciting  
than the regular campaign, and in some in-  
stances leads to so much acrimony as to  
endanger party success at the polls.A brief review of the matters to be de-  
cided upon at the present caucus may be of  
interest. The delegates to the state conven-  
tion will probably endorse by acclamation  
the present state ticket of governor, lieu-  
tenant governor, secretary of the common-  
wealth and state treasurer, and will decide  
the controversy now pending between John  
W. Kimball of Pittsburg, the present in-  
cumbent, Henry E. Turner of Malden and  
Samuel W. George of Haverhill over the  
office of auditor. The state convention  
will also nominate two electors at large for  
president and vice president of the United  
States.There are no contests whatever over de-  
legates to the convention, although the  
failure in Ward Three to nominate a ticket  
may allow of a difference of opinion.In the congressional convention, Samuel  
L. Powers of Newton is opposed by Fred  
H. Williams of Brookline, with the odds in  
favor of our fellow citizen. Only one ward,  
however, has shown any disposition to  
make a contest in Newton, and the city  
will watch the returns from Ward 5 with  
considerable interest. Messrs. Hale, Mel-  
len and Jones should be elected and thus  
give Mr. Powers the entire delegation from  
his own city.There are no contests over the councilor  
delegates and so far as heard, their duty  
will be simply to endorse the present coun-  
cillor, Hon. Henry D. Yerxa of Cambridge.While there are no contests whatever  
over the county delegates, the convention  
itself will be called upon to decide upon  
the rival claims of S. O. Upham of Wal-  
tham, Senator Patrick of Roxbury and Geo.  
F. Roper of Lowell for the office of county  
commissioner, while J. O. Hayden of  
Somerville, county treasurer, and E. O.  
Childs of Newton, register of deeds, willundoubtedly be renominated by acclama-  
tion.The senatorial is by far the most com-  
plicated situation to be decided at the ap-  
proaching caucuses, although there are con-  
tests in only Wards Three and Seven. In  
Ward Three a delegation pledged to Geo.  
H. Bond is opposed by an unpledged de-  
legation, and in Ward Seven one unpledged  
delegation is contesting another. The mul-  
titude of candidates in this district ensures  
a lively time at the convention. Geo. H.  
Bond of West Newton, John T. Langford  
of Newton, Henry R. Skinner of Water-  
town, J. Henry Brown of Weston, H. B.  
May and Col. Wm. Nutt of Natick, Abner  
Greenwood of Ashland, C. J. McPherson  
and John M. Merriam of South Framing-  
ham are all mentioned as candidates. The  
upper end of the district is undoubtedly en-  
titled to the nomination, but in view of the  
lack of unanimity there it is possible that  
the convention may come this way for a  
candidate.Without in any way disparaging the  
claims of others it has been suggested that,  
in view of Mr. Bond's former residence in  
Framingham, an honorable solution of the  
whole matter would be found in giving him  
the nomination, which would probably be  
acceptable to the entire district.The representative delegates are, with-  
out any question, favorable to the nomi-  
nation of Alderman W. F. Dana and ex-Al-  
derman Geo. P. Ballard, although there are  
contests in sight, in Wards Two and  
Five, between pledged and unpledged de-  
legations.The caucuses will also choose the mem-  
bers of the next Republican ward and city com-  
mittee, five members being selected in each  
ward. It is needless to say that there are  
no contests whatever over these thankless  
and onerous positions.A large vote will probably be cast on  
Monday evening, and the new caucus law  
will be given a fair trial. So far as heard  
from the new law is stirring up considera-  
ble criticism, and its operation will be  
watched with great interest.

## THE CONGRESSIONAL SITUATION.

One striking fact is noticed in the contest  
now going on in this district between Mr.  
Powers and Mr. Williams for the Republi-  
can nomination. Mr. Powers makes a  
dignified appeal to the Republicans for  
their support on lines in harmony with the  
party platform, treating his opponent in a  
courteous manner, but devoting the prin-  
cipal part of his addresses to clearly stating  
his position on matters liable to be pre-  
sented to the next congress.Mr. Williams, in strong contrast, is mak-  
ing Mr. Powers the issue of his campaign,  
and ignores entirely the vital questions  
upon which his position should be known.  
Moreover, Mr. Williams is of the firm  
opinion that Mr. Powers is unfit for the  
office, because he has acted as counsel for  
the telephone company.We are not aware that the telephone in-  
terests are subject to congressional legisla-  
tion as such corporations are entirely under  
state supervision, and Mr. Williams in  
using such an argument as his principal  
weapon shows how utterly weak his own  
position is. Admitting for a moment, how-  
ever, Mr. Williams' statement that a candi-  
date's business associations should be  
considered in determining the nomination  
for Congress, we would call attention to  
the fact that Mr. Williams himself has  
acted as counsel for various railroad com-  
panies, and it is well known that the rail-  
road interests, particularly in matters of  
interstate communication, maintain a pow-  
erful lobby at Washington. On his own  
argument, therefore, as between railroad  
and telephone companies, the former with  
large interests at stake in the acts of Con-  
gress, and the latter with no axes what-  
ever to grind at Washington, the average  
voter can clearly see that Mr. Powers is by  
far the more suitable candidate for his  
soffage.Moreover, in Mr. Powers the district has  
a man abundantly able to maintain the  
dignity and honor of this good old Com-  
monwealth, and whose eloquence on the  
floor, and skill in committee room, will  
redound to the credit of the Eleventh Con-  
gressional District of Massachusetts.

## NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

Ever since the tracks of the street rail-  
way were laid in Washington street at the  
Lower Falls, the residents of that village  
have agitated the matter of widening the  
roadway between Wales street and the  
Charles river. Every city government con-  
sidering the matter has been convinced that  
something should be done to relieve the  
danger to the large amount of traffic, com-  
pelled to use this route to reach the towns  
beyond. Each city government, however,  
has hesitated to start the project on account  
of the probable large expense involved in  
the way of land damages. Alderman  
Lyman succeeded in 1898 in having the city  
adopt an order widening the street on plans  
of City Engineer Woods, which it was ad-  
mitted at the time would cost at least \$35,  
000 to carry out. The city has two years  
from such laying out in which to construct  
the street, but when efforts were made this  
summer to enter upon the work, the large  
cost was the principal obstacle. To City  
Engineer Farnham belongs the credit of  
suggesting a modification of the existing  
lines, eliminating to a large extent the  
question of danger, and providing a fifty-  
foot roadway for most of the distance. His  
plans have been approved by the Highway  
Committee, adopted by the Board of Alder-  
men, and an order appropriating \$11,000 to  
cover the cost of the work is now before  
the Finance Committee.We congratulate the residents of the  
Falls on the fact that this great improve-  
ment is actually in sight, and that the  
travel through its principal street will soon  
be relieved from danger.In the erection of new contagious wards  
at the Newton hospital, a "half a loaf is  
better than no bread," but we earnestly  
hope the powers that be will be able to see  
far enough into the future to make a wise  
choice as to whether the one new ward  
shall be used for diphtheria or scarlet  
fever. The experience of Salem, a few  
years ago, where over \$20,000 was ex-  
pended in fighting a diphtheria epidemic of  
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18, by Rev. E. F. Snell, John Carlyle Davis of  
Hartwell, Ohio, and Grace Josephine Barbour  
of Newton.HATELEY-LAUGHEY-At Newton, Sept. 12,  
William Hateley and Annie Laughy.  
MICK-KELLY-At Newton, Centre, Sept. 12,  
by Rev. E. M. Noyes, John William Mick and  
Jessie Sarah Kelly.BOWN-LIVERMORE-At Newton, Sept. 12, by  
Rev. George R. Grose, Ernest Alfred Bown  
and Maria Annie Livermore.  
PRIEST-SMITH-At Brookline, Sept. 13, by  
Rev. H. G. Hale, George Stillman Priest and  
Leola Walton Smith.

## DIED.

CUSTEAU-At Newton Hospital, Sept. 16, Alice,  
daughter of Joseph and Rosie Custeau, 5 yrs.  
3 mos. 10 days.O'BRIEN-At Newton Centre, Sept. 16, Cath-  
arine, wife of Michael O'Brien, 92 yrs.GALWAY-At Nonantum, Sept. 17, John A.  
Galway, 22 yrs. 9 mos.WHITE-At Newton, Sept. 17, Eva May, daugh-  
ter of Paul and Jane White, 7 mos.SWITZER-At Newton, Ann M., daughter of  
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In addition to these there is the boat house, approaching completion, which is in Brighton.

It would be an interesting fact to know the sources of the college funds for this stupendous work, but this is impossible. The money is given in many cases by men who do not care to have their names known. In other cases it is accumulated wealth. But whatever the source, the administration of the funds has always made it a rule not to make this fact public.

Of course, in certain cases there often comes a gift which is publicly made, such as Henry L. Higginson's donation toward the Harvard Union. Everybody knows also of the generosity of the New York alumni in furnishing money for a new boathouse. On the other hand there is the architectural building which is built through the generosity of one whose name will probably never be made public.

Of these buildings, the engineering Harvard Union and architectural buildings are now in the process of erection.

Plans have been filed and a permit granted for the addition to the Agassiz museum. This addition will harmonize with the older part of the museum and will be constructed at the southwest corner. On the first floor will be a large lecture hall and above geological laboratories.

The infirmary is to be built next to the Cambridge hospital and plans have been filed.

The semitic museum is to stand on Divinity avenue near the other divinity buildings and will occupy what is now known as the Batchelder estate. Work upon it will be begun this fall.

Holmes field is slowly but silently passing into a pleasant memory. The great march of progress upon which the college has entered this year has encroached upon all its available land and the old field has last been forced to give way before it.

Henceforth Holmes field, the scene of so many memorable contests, both of students and of town boys, is closed to athletics forever. The new engineering hall is now being erected at the eastern end of the grounds, and if common report can be believed, the old field will ultimately become the site of another quadrangle of college buildings—Cambridge Tribune.

## The Coal Miners' Strike.

The impending strike of the coal miners in the great anthracite belt of Pennsylvania will be, if it is not averted by compromise or arbitration, a national calamity. In the territory covered by the order to strike there are employed in the mines about one hundred and forty-five thousand men. The annual production is about seventy-five million tons. The persons and interests directly affected are the operatives, the owners and the railroads. It is estimated that should the strike become general, as is more than likely, it would involve a monthly loss to the railroads of about eight million dollars, an equal loss to the owners of the property, and some three million dollars to the workers. The public at large have a deep interest in the contest. The price of coal will necessarily advance; the withdrawal of a vast volume of money from circulation will affect the money market, and disorders which will entail heavy expenditures upon the communities involved are inevitable.

The strike results from a failure to effect a satisfactory agreement between the employers and their employees with respect to wage schedules, hours of labor and other matters in dispute. The miners demand the abolition of the company stores, a reduction in the price of mining powder, semi-monthly payment of wages, the abolition of the sliding scale, the payment of wages in cash, the recognition of 2240 pounds of coal as a legal ton, and a general advance of fifteen per cent. in the pay of day labor. The committee representing the miners was induced last week to postpone the strike by strong assurances that the owners were making to induce the miners to accept the terms proposed with some modifications. But on Wednesday of this week it became evident that all efforts in this direction had failed, and consequently the strike order was issued to become effective on Monday. The refusal of the coal magnates to arbitrate the differences existing seems to be a piece of blind stupidity. The shortage of coal in England will create a demand for the product of American mines. This demand cannot be met if the coal mining business in Pennsylvania is in a state of paralysis.

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## BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

## TREMONT THEATRE—Since the critical opinions of New York sent count for a great deal outside, local amusement lovers may be gratified at the information that Boston's verdict on Anna Held and "Papa's Wife" has been unqualifiedly endorsed by Gotham.

After its run at the Boston Theatre, the Harry B. Smith and Reginald de Koven collaboration was taken almost direct to the Manhattan, where it finished the season in a blaze of glory. With reports of this success, play and players will be seen next week at the Tremont. Messrs. Smith and DeKoven, mentioned above as being responsible for "Papa's Wife," will be remembered as the author and the composer respectively of such hits as "Robin Hood" and "The Three Dragons."

In preparing Miss Held's vehicle the latter seemed to surpass himself, the melodies being of remarkable rhythm and swing. Mr. Smith's lines and lyrics, which proved to be of unusual humor, will be recalled as being twined around the story of a dissipated father and a supernaturally proper son.

The son, whose name is "Papa's Wife," wears of the father's extravagance and commands him to marry, the threatened penalty being the stoppage of his allowance. Baron Florestan, "Papa," chooses a charming convent girl, who, however, is essentially become involved in one of the Baron's own reveries and thus has gained the ill-will of Aristide when that lucky young man discovers that chance has made the girl his wife instead of "Papa's."

A reconciliation follows and the comedy terminates as should all well regulated comedies. Miss Held's work in this production will be recalled as of a delightful quality her old chic and piquancy tempered by the reserve and discretion that has so much to do with histrionic art at its best. Mr. Bigelow's famous squeak continues to give pleasure to the audience.

The remainder of the principals are highly commended. The chorus contains the very bud and flower of Rialto beauty. Settings, costumes and properties are described as being of a kind to greatly enhance the performance.

Boston Theatre—The theatre going public of Boston had been led to expect something of surpassing grandeur in Liebler & Co.'s production, and probably "Monte Cristo" never was given so rich a setting; certainly nothing nearly approaching it in artistic magnificence was ever seen in Boston. The drama is divided into five acts and eight scenes, all of the scenes being notable examples of stage art, and several of them are really masterpieces of business.

In the scene representing the port of Marseilles, for example, we are given a most delightful water view, with a foreground crowded with the picturesque populace standing in groups or moving about, all intent upon the arrival of the Pharon, which presently is seen in the offing. The scenes representing Villeroi's cabinet, the Reserve Inn, and a hall in the Hotel de Morel are each of them adequate without pretentiousness. The scene of the Prison of the Chateau d'If is also much the same as hitherto, but its effectiveness is greatly emphasized by size and also by the skillful use of electric lights. But it is in the Conservatory and Ballroom of the Hotel de Morel, and somewhat differently but almost as grandly in the Forest of Fontainebleau, that the production reaches its scenic art reaches its highest level. The simulated conservatory and ballroom is not only beautiful to look upon, with its grand proportions, its harmonious blending of color and its carefully arranged architectural details; but it is also almost overpowering in its stability and massiveness. It is only in the large cities that a stage can be found big enough to accommodate this great interior, and hence the astonishment which the scene itself produces is increased at thought of the seemingly reckless prodigality of the producers. The forest scene, which the play ends in, is in pleasing contrast to all this artificiality.

It is Nature taking the place of Art. The drawing is admirable, and the coup d'oeil is soothing and yet half melancholy. It is a fitting accompaniment to the "illusions" that accompany the text, and one entirely in harmony with the story's tragic denouement. Mr. O'Neill's Monte Christo is too well known to require attention, and it is only necessary to add that he is supported by an excellent company.

Boston Music Hall—The bill for the past week has been one of the most unusual along the line, and large audiences have testified. For the coming week an entirely new bill will be presented, with features which will suit everybody. The same motto—two prices only—which has been displayed since the opening, will be continued; the complete orchestra of skilled musicians, which has won encomiums of praise for its fine work, and all the other modern essentials and all the luxurious conveniences which a thoughtful management could devise, will appeal to those who like to enjoy vaudeville in comfort. The Music Hall in Boston, which has been opened to patrons of Music Hall last Monday, has proved a success from the outset, and it is the Mecca of the little ones. They flock there especially in the afternoons, and they take the greatest delight in watching about the picturesque chamber, and in inspecting the remarkable collection of wax figures which have been imported direct from the Eden Musee, New York. The subjects are of a variety which will interest all classes. "The Last Stand of General Lawton in the Philippines," "Bryan, McKinley and the Ballot Box," "A Spanish Scene in Havana," "Don Quixote and the Princess," "Little Red Riding Hood," "Sinbad, the Sailor," "Aladdin and the Wonderful Lamp," "Old Mother Hubbard," "Children's Masquerade," "The Browder," a group of ten American celebrities, ten European celebrities and a dozen famous musicians.

## Literary Notes.

D. Appleton and Co. have issued another of their Home Reading Books, entitled, "The Story of the Indies," by A. Ober, author of "Spain," "Puerto Rico" and "Resources," "Travels in Mexico," "In the Wake of Columbus," etc. The book is profusely illustrated and full of interesting information concerning Antillean history, and will undoubtedly "quickly" the interest already awakened by recent great events in that glorious Archipelago. [D. Appleton & Co., 410 75 cents.]

The same house have also published the September number of Appleton's Town and Country Library, containing a Private Chivalry by Francis Lynde, author of "A Romance in Transit," "The Helpers," etc. [D. Appleton & Co., paper 50 cents.]

Jell-O, The New Dessert, pleases all the family. Four flavors: Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. At your grocers. 10 cts. Try it to day.

A good investment in Brass Bedsteads. Twelve months ago the metal market jumped upward 25 per cent which caused all the dealers in New England to advance their prices considerably on Metal Bedsteads. It was a fortunate circumstance that led one of our local houses, Morris, Murch & Butler, 42 Summer street, Boston, to take advantage of the low prices which were prevailing at the time of the rise, to make contracts for a very large quantity of Metal Bedsteads. They have been selling the bedsteads very low the past twelve months and the consignments which have now reached them is the last of the old contract. Instead of asking current prices for the goods, they intend to offer them to the public at the original prices when the metal bedsteads were selling at such low figures. We should advise our readers to call and see these bedsteads which are being offered at such phenomenal prices.



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### NEWTON CENTRE.

—Col. E. H. Haskell and family have returned from Sunapee, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Edwards of Oxford road are back from Camden, Me.

—Rev. Edward T. Sullivan returns this week from a summer at Allerton.

—H. H. Dodge and family of Ashton park return this week from Allerton.

—W. B. Stetson and family of Pleasant street are home from Littleton, N. H.

—Mrs. J. C. Farrar of Langley road has removed her farm in Wrentham.

—Mr. J. M. Dill and family of Commonwealth avenue are back from Europe.

—Mrs. George H. Damon of Oxford road is visiting friends at Marlboro, N. Y.

—Mrs. J. Albert Cole is reported critically ill at her home on Langley road.

—Mr. A. W. Bartholomew of Providence is visiting his parents on Centre street.

—Miss E. E. Hood of Centre street has returned from a trip to Montpelier, Vt.

—Ex-Mayor H. M. Burr and family have returned to their home on Kingsbury street.

—Miss Bertha Forbes of Cypress street returns this week from New London, N. H.

—Mrs. Payne and daughter of Lake avenue have returned from New Hampshire.

—Mr. C. D. Chapin and family of Beacon street have returned from Bedford, Mass.

—Miss Anna Philbrick of Boylston street returns this week from a trip to Jackson, N. H.

—Mrs. F. M. Forbush is entertaining relatives this week at her home on Summer street.

—Miss Rogers of Chesley road is in Philadelphia, where she will spend the winter.

—Mr. John Fuller has resigned his position with J. W. Beverly and has returned to Boston.

—H. B. Eager and family of Ashton park have returned from several weeks in Brookline, Me.

—Thomas Proctor and family of Ballard street have returned from Squirrel Hill, Me.

—Mr. John O. Ellis and the Misses Ellis of Summer street are back from Westminister, Mass.

—Mr. R. W. Waters of Bowen street has returned from a trip through the White Mountains.

—Mr. W. H. Aspinwall and family of Hammond street returned this week from Magnolia.

—Mr. F. A. Schirmer and family have returned to their home on Commonwealth avenue.

—Mr. Bankson Taylor and family of Beacon street returned this week from Clifton.

—H. S. Langdon and family of Lake avenue returned Monday from a trip to the provinces.

—Rev. Dr. Everett D. Burr and family are occupying their new home on Commonwealth avenue.

—Mrs. James Mawhinney of Cypress street has returned from a three months' visit in England.

—Mr. F. W. Hutton and family of Denver, Col., have moved into the Rice house on Centre street.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Turner of Glenwood avenue have returned from a two weeks' vacation.

—Mrs. W. B. Norton of Homer street has returned from a two weeks' trip to the White Mountains.

—J. L. Barton and family of Ashton park have returned from a summer's outing spent at Marblehead.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wallace M. Turner of Glenwood avenue have returned from Little Bear's Head, N. H.

—Mr. Garland and family have moved into the house recently occupied by A. C. Howard on Beacon street.

—Mrs. A. T. Clark of Hancock avenue has recovered from her recent illness and has returned from Falmouth.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Spears of Ward street returned this week from Pine Island, Lake Winnepesaukee, N. H.

—Rev. J. M. Barker and family of Ashton park have returned from Falmouth, where they spent the summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tarplin have moved into their house on Albion street recently purchased of E. Mobbs.

—Rev. John W. Butler, D. D., of Mexico will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist church next Sunday morning.

—C. W. Royce and family of Summer street have returned from an enjoyable outing at Mt. Vernon, N. H.

—Mr. Eben Sumner of Commonwealth avenue has returned from an enjoyable outing spent in New Hampshire.

—Letter-carrier Walter C. Newell and Mrs. Newell are spending part of their vacation with relatives in Medway.

—Rev. D. W. Richardson of Chatham has been in town this week, the guest of Dr. H. F. Russell of Pelham street.

—Hon. A. L. Harwood spoke on "Public Charities" at the Young Men's Assembly at Watertown last Wednesday evening.

—The Misses Smith of Summer street are moving into the Bray house on Institution avenue, recently occupied by Dr. May.

—Mrs. M. C. Skilton and Miss Skilton of Chestnut terrace have been enjoying a vacation trip through the White Mountains.

—Last Friday evening at the Baptist church an interesting account of the work of the Mother's Rest which was opened in Waban last June was given.

—Mrs. J. L. Colby and the Misses Colby, who have just returned from Europe, are at the Copley Square Hotel, Boston, before re-opening their residence on Centre street.

—The annual meeting of the Young People's Union was held at the First Baptist church last Tuesday evening. Mr. Gardner Walworth Jr., was elected president.

—There are letters remaining in the post office for Mrs. Carrie Colson, Addie Cradie, Agnes Foy, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Gardner, Anne E. Nugent, The Elms, 119 Lake avenue.

—At the Unitarian church next Sunday services at 11:30, conducted by the pastor, C. W. Wendell, Mr. Franklin Wood, and Sunday school at 12. Hale Union church is welcome.

—Mrs. M. B. Moberg has added the name of "The Unitarian" to her list of subscribers.

—A. A. to its credit has nearly

—J. G. White and family of Centre street are back from Portland, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Merrill of Lake terrace and Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Smith of Moreland avenue are at Sugar Hill, N. H.

—Mr. W. N. Bartholomew and son Walter return today from Grafton, Vermont, where they have been spending the summer.

—Mr. George A. Ayer has purchased of Clarence E. Hill a parcel of 38,500 feet of land located on Dedham and Andrew streets.

—Mr. Hollis Bowman Page and family of Waverley have moved into the house corner of Commonwealth avenue and Hammond street.

—Miss Bessie Stiles of Parker street, who has been enjoying the summer vacation, returns this week to Smith College, Northampton.

—Mr. John Temperly of Union street has returned from Warrum, where he was the guest of Mr. Frank Stackpole, formerly of this place.

—The Misses Alice and Edith Kidder of Summer street left this week for Northampton, where they will resume their studies at Smith College.

—Rev. Harry P. Dewey of the Pilgrim church, Brooklyn, N. Y., will preach on Sunday at the Old South church, Boylston street, Boston, morning and evening.

—Mr. Robert Leeson of Elgin street, Harvard 39, has been elected treasurer of the Universal Winding Company, with offices after October 1st on South street, Boston.

—Last Monday afternoon at the Methodist church a reception was given in honor of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Butler of Mexico, Miss Grace Stephens and Sooboonagum Ammal of India.

—At a union meeting to be held at the Congregational church next Sunday evening Mr. Kellaway will relate his experiences at the recent Christian Endeavor Convention in London.

—Mr. H. Wilson Ross has returned from Cleveland, Ohio, where he attended the annual convention of the American Association of Cemetery Superintendents. Mr. Ross was re-elected secretary and treasurer of the association.

—A horse belonging to Mr. Sidney Smith while standing in the yard of his residence on Langley road, Wednesday evening, became frightened and ran away. The animal was caught uninjured, but the carriage was badly demolished.

—Mrs. Michael O'Brien died at her home on Centre street last Sunday after a short illness. A husband and six children survive her. The funeral was held on Tuesday, requiem mass being celebrated by Rev. Fr. Thomas Lee at the Church of the Sacred Heart at 9 o'clock.

—In Circuit hall last Wednesday evening the first in a series of assemblies was held under the auspices of Newton Centre Lodge, 200, A. O. U. W. Dancing was enjoyed from 8 to 10 o'clock, about 75 couple being present. Music was furnished by Hattermehl's orchestra.

—Mr. C. Peter Clark, manager of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, has moved with his family into the Clark house on Pleasant street. The house has had extensive improvements made both exterior and interior and the grounds have been greatly improved.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dill of Commonwealth avenue were among those present at the first annual reunion of the Bassett Family Association held at the Hotel Vendome, Boston, last Saturday. Mrs. Dill, (born Bassett), was a member of the reception committee, and at the banquet Mr. Dill was one of the speakers.

—At the First Congregational church last Sunday the sessions of the men's topic class were resumed. The general topic was "The Aggressiveness of Christian Workers" and the special phase considered was the missions in China. Rev. Dr. James L. Barton and others made addresses.

### WABAN.

—The Mothers' Rest closed last Saturday for the season.

—Mr. E. A. Phelps is spending this week among relatives in Lebanon, N. H.

—Miss Gertrude Smith has returned from an extended visit in New Hampshire.

—Mrs. S. R. Reading is making preparations to join her husband, who went South recently.

—Mr. James E. Morse of Waban avenue was elected a member of the board of governors of the New England Association of the Amateur Athletic Union held at the Parker House, Boston, Monday evening.

—Miss Bowen, Chestnut street, has just had another greenhouse completed. It is 95 ft. long and 23 ft. wide, and will be used for the raising of carnations exclusively. Her other greenhouse is full of chrysanthemums at the present time, but those are to be replaced by violets later. Mr. Mills of Newton Highlands will take care of them for her.

### AUBURNDALE.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sands of Grove street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

—Charles W. Cole is substituting as choir leader at the Congregational church during the absence of Mr. Waldo Ward Cole.

—Mr. Edward Anderson of Charles street is entertaining his brother from New York. They have spent a part of the week at the old homestead in Clinton.

—The annual meeting of the Ladies Benevolent Society will be held in the vestry of the Congregational church next Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

—Lasell Notes.

On Saturday evening the post graduates gave a reception to the new girls. The parlors presented a very lively and animated scene indeed as the students, new and old, together with their teachers, gave themselves to the pleasant diversion of making the acquaintance of each other in a more purely social way than had hitherto been feasible in the crowded hours of the opening days. Refreshments were served during the evening from a table in the hall, at which presided Miss Eliza H. Kendrick, of the Greek and Latin department.

On Sunday evening, Rev. Francis E. Clarke addressed the students at the weekly meeting of the Christian Endeavor society of the school. After this a party of eight or ten went to Newton Centre where they heard Miss Grace Stephens, missionary to India, and a high caste Brahmin lady, Sooboonagum Ammal.

Monday was largely given up to the annual excursion to Bunker Hill, Charlestown Navy Yard and other points of interest.

**Veteran Firemen.**

The ladies auxiliary to the Veteran Firemen will hold a box party in Odd Fellow's hall next Friday evening. Dancing will be from 8 to 2.

An adjourned meeting and drill will be held by the members of the Veteran Firemen in the engine house on Watertown street this evening.

The Veteran Firemen held a drill in the engine house on Watertown street Monday evening. The members turned out in good numbers and much interest is being manifested in the coming trip to Hingham.

## SAFE EMPTY.

In Post Office at Newton Upper Falls.

And Clerk E. M. Billings is Missing Too.

The safe in the Newton Upper Falls post office is empty and the clerk in charge, Edward M. Billings, is missing. This state of affairs was revealed yesterday morning.

About 7 a. m. that day Letter-carrier Ryder went to the office, but the door was locked. Residents began to gather, but nothing was done until some one notified the central office at 9 o'clock.

Postmaster Ellis sent Clerk Butler to the scene, and he was forced to break in the front and rear doors. Upon investigation there was found about \$50 in small change, stamps, envelopes and postal cards. There should have been \$500 in the safe, in addition to whatever money had been received for money orders. The office is reported to have been given a large amount of money order business of late.

Postmaster Ellis said he had heard no complaints concerning the Upper Falls office and had always looked upon Mr. Billings as an efficient employee. The latter has been clerk in charge for three years, and for 18 years previous had been a clerk under his brother, Mr. Bernard Billings, the former postmaster.

The Newton Upper Falls office was made a sub station upon the consolidation of the Newton post offices in July, 1897, and Mr. E. M. Billings was made clerk in charge at a salary of \$800 and without an assistant. He was 40 years old and unmarried. He was last seen, as far as can be learned, in Newton Highlands square at 8:50 Tuesday.

### NEWTON.

—Miss Annie Walton of Carleton street has returned from a trip to Maine.

—Mr. S. H. Uhler of Eldredge street returned Tuesday from Marblehead Neck.

—George F. Higgins and family of Willard street have returned from a vacation.

—Messrs. Lewis E. and Howard B. Coffin enjoyed a trip to Newport this week.

—Miss Melcher of Wellesley was in town yesterday the guest of friends on Centre street.

—Mrs. Samuel B. Whittemore of Washington street returned Wednesday from Hingham.

—Mrs. Hurley of New York is the guest of her father, Mr. Andrew S. March of Park street.

—Mrs. C. O. Tucker and family of Park street are home from a summer's stay at Craigville.

—Mr. William J. Irvin, clerk at the Newton post office, has returned from his annual vacation.

—Mrs. Sullivan of Brighton has rented of R. J. Morrissy the house 90 Boyd street, and is moving in.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Wright of Waban park are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

—3 doz. Boston Bags, 25c each. Regular price 30c. Saturday and Monday only, at Otis Brothers, Newton.

—Miss Dunbar and Miss Smiley of Waterville, Me., have been guests this week of Miss Porter of Hollis street.

—Mrs. Alexander McClelland of Washington street has returned from a trip to the Maritime provinces.

—C. H. Buswell and family of Franklin street returned today from Allerton, where they spent the summer.

—Rev. Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Byington of Franklin street have returned from Windsor and other points in Vermont.

—Rev. John W. Bevington of Barnstable will preach at the Channing church next Sunday. All are cordially invited.

—Mr. Edwin T. Fearing and family of Park street have returned from Marblehead, where they spent the season.

—Frank Cushman of Richardson street has been elected a member of the board of stewards of the Methodist church.

—The Channing Sunday school will reopen Sunday, Sept. 24, at 12 o'clock. It is hoped there will be a large attendance.

—Rev. John A. Jerome and Mr. Edward S. Jerome are guests of Mr. and Mrs. George S. Bullens of Waverley avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. William W. Jacques and the Misses Jacques of Eldredge street are at their home after a summer's absence.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Sawyer of Franklin street have moved to Boston, and for the present will be guests at the Bellevue.

—Mrs. Mary E. Billings and her son, Mr. Charles Billings of Franklin street, returned this week from their summer home at Magnolia.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Converse of Centre street, who have been spending the season in New London, N. H., are in New York this week.

—An entertainment for the members of the Sunday school of Grace church and the chorists' class is to be given in the parish house at 7 a. m. Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Lawrence and Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Barker of Newtonville avenue have returned from their summer home at Brant Rock, Marshfield.

—Experience in selecting artists and dealing with the most particular people enables me to give you the best hair cutting and shaving in Newton. Burns, Cole's block.

—William B. Rogerson of Hunnewell terrace attended the reunion of the 53d Regiment at Fitchburg last week. Mr. Rogerson enlisted in his sixteenth year being the youngest soldier in his company.

—A recent wedding of interest is that of Mrs. M. Annie Livermore and Mr. Ernest A. Brown. Rev. George R. Grose being the officiating clergyman. Mr. and Mrs. Brown are making their home at 12 Waban street.

—A service will be held at the Methodist church this evening, under the auspices of the Willing Workers' Society. Miss Edith G. Young, a missionary from Peking, China, will make an address, giving the latest news from that country.

—Mr. and Mrs. Granby Wood of Woodville have sent out invitations for the marriage reception of their daughter, Miss Edith Sanger Wood, and Dr. Edward Roswell Wiley, to take place Thursday evening, Oct. 4th, from 8 to 10, at the Newton Club House, Newtonville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Alexander R. Atkins have issued invitations for the wedding reception of their daughter, Serena Thomas Atkins and Mr. Edward Tyler Wetherbee, to follow the ceremony Wednesday, Oct. 3, from 8 to 10 o'clock at the family residence on Thornton street.

—An engagement of much interest to people of this place is that of Miss Addie Kimball to Mr. Henry C. Grant of Commonwealth avenue and formerly of this city. Miss Kimball is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Cushing Kimball of Beacon street, Boston.

—Music in Grace church, Sunday night: Processional, "In Loud Exalted Strains," Magnificat, "The King of Love," H. W. Parker, H. R. Shelley, H. R. Hopkins.

—The annual meeting of the Ladies' Social Circle was held in the parlors of the Methodist church last Wednesday evening. The various reports were of a most satisfactory nature, and the following officers were elected: Mrs. Ada E. Davidson, president; Mrs. Frank O. Barber, vice-president; Miss Clara Cushman, secretary; Mrs. Bliss, treasurer. Supper was served at 6:30 and a social hour followed.

—Dr. Shinn is one of the delegates from the Episcopal church in this state to the missionary council to be held in Louisville, Kentucky, Oct. 23-25. He has also been invited by the Actors' Church Alliance to speak in some Western cities in the interests of this new organization, which has for its object the improvement of the stage. If able to leave his duties he may be away several weeks next month.

—Most of the old horse sheds in the rear of Grace church are being removed. The organization of new Episcopal parishes in the city of our city, and the general use of the electric cars, renders unnecessary the long line of sheds that were once occupied by teams every Sunday. The removal of the sheds greatly improves the appearance of the property, and makes it easier to see the beauty of the long and varied lines of stone construction, which extend for over 250 feet along the rear.

### Street Railway Matters.

The Norumbega Park line of cars from Nonantum square were discontinued the first of the week.

A Newton car jumped the track on Galen street, Watertown, last Tuesday, and delayed traffic for a short time.

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REPORT of the Condition of the Newton National Bank at Newton, in the State of Massachusetts, at the close of business, Sept. 5, 1900.

**RESOURCES.**

Loans and discounts,	\$521,746 56
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured,	730 57
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	30,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds,	9,257 20
Stocks, securities, etc.,	27,707 45
Banking-house, furniture, and fixtures,	45,256 00
Other real estate owned,	539 19
Due from approved reserve agents,	61,016 06
Internal Revenue stamps,	290 06
Checks and other cash items,	9,161 57
Notes of other National Banks,	3,350 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents,	108 13
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie,	31,837 55
Legal-tender notes,	1,072 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation),	3,140 00
<b>Total,</b>	<b>\$804,615 04</b>

**LIABILITIES.**

Capital stock paid in,	\$200,000 00
Surplus fund,	40,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid,	14,615 36
National Bank notes outstanding,	86,550 00
Due to other National Banks,	2,394 77
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks,	32,221 36
Individual deposits subject to check,	336,794 11
Demand certificates of deposit,	1,967 87
Certified checks,	1,967 87
<b>Total,</b>	<b>\$804,615 04</b>

STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS, COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, ss.

I, Francis Murdock, President of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANCIS MURDOCK, President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of September, 1900.

Seal. THEODORE W. TROWBRIDGE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:  
JAMES E. BARKER,  
WM. F. BACON,  
ALBION R. CLAPP, } Directors.

REPORT of the Condition of the First National Bank of West Newton, at Newton, in the State of Massachusetts, at the close of business, September 5, 1900.

**RESOURCES.**

Loans and discounts,	\$361,673 45
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured,	861 46
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	100,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds,	10,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc.,	13,997 50
Due from approved reserve agents,	42,147 83
Internal Revenue stamps,	522 90
Notes of other National Banks,	3,311 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents,	84 05
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie,	12,336 62
Legal-tender notes,	13,447 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation),	3,200 00
<b>Total,</b>	<b>\$662,951 81</b>

**LIABILITIES.**

Capital stock paid in,	\$100,000 00
Surplus fund,	25,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid,	14,317 97
National Bank notes outstanding,	100,000 00
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks,	54,568 56
Individual deposits subject to check,	282,268 65
Demand certificates of deposit,	3,046 63
Certified checks,	750 00
United States deposits,	77,000 50
<b>Total,</b>	<b>\$662,951 81</b>

STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS, COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, ss.

I, Edw. P. Hatch, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDW. P. HATCH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of September 1900.

ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:  
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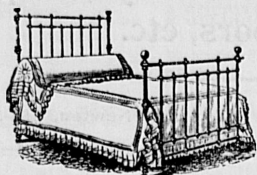
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### NEWTON.

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—Hough & Jones, 245 Washington Street, will paint your house nicely. 1f

—Charles O. Sullivan has entered the employ of the Barber Bros. Co.

—F. J. Fawcett of Bennington street has returned with his family from Beaumont.

—Mr. Robert W. Lord has been elected a director of the Brookline Gas Light Company.

—Miss Forsythe, who has been quite ill at her home on Richardson street, is able to be out.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Briggs of Centre street have returned from a ten days trip to Denver.

—Frank Hopewell and family of Waverley avenue returned Tuesday from S. A. B. M. Me.

—Mrs. Lewis E. Coffin and family of Bellevue street have returned from Green Harbor, Duxbury.

—Be sure and attend the auction sale of furniture at 291 Washington street, Saturday night at 7.30. 1f

—Services in Grace church are held Sundays at 10.45 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Strangers are always welcomed.

—Mrs. C. B. Prescott and family, who have been at Winooski, have returned to their home on Centre street.

—Rev. Francis E. Clark, D. D., will attend the C. E. meeting at the Eliot church, Sunday evening at 6.30 p. m.

—Wm. E. Pike, electrician and licensed gas fitter, 101 Elmwood street, has a license in the city. Telephone 215, Newton. 1f

—Mrs. Maria C. Miller and the Messrs. Anton and Carl Miller of Centre street have moved to Broadway, Newtonville.

—A meeting of the Willing Workers will be held at the Methodist parsonage on Wesley street next Thursday evening.

—Inspectors Pendleton and Towson from the Boston postoffice made an official inspection of the local office on Wednesday.

—Mr. J. E. Merrill and wife, who have been guests at the Touraine, Boston, have returned to their home on Waverley avenue.

—Mr. Henry N. Kingsbury and wife of Park street have returned from the C. P. Kingsbury has just returned from a year's study abroad.

—The Newton private school has removed from the Nonantum building to 80 Elmwood street, where it will be conducted under Miss Hall's supervision.

—At the mid-week meeting at Eliot church this evening the report of the church census which has been taken recently will be given and discussed.

—The different chapters of the Parish Guild of Grace church will re-organize in the week of October. The Bible Class in the rectory's study begins on Sunday, Oct. 7.

—Experience in selecting artists and dealing with the most particular people enables me to give you the best hair cutting and shaving in Newton. Burns' Cols' block.

—Miss Esteline Springer and Miss Myrtle Morse were among the pupils taking part in the recital given by the Faelten Piano forte school in Steiner Hall, Boston, Wednesday evening.

—Mr. Arthur Briggs and wife of Haverhill, who have been enjoying a vacation trip to the Lake Champlain region, are guests this week of Mr. Briggs' parents on Washington street.

—About twenty-five friends of Miss Esther Wing gathered at her home on Hunnewell avenue Thursday afternoon, to celebrate her eighteenth birthday. A group and party furnished enjoyment for the little folks.

—William Dawson, clerk at the postoffice has been appointed by Postmaster E. S. Clark in charge of the Newton Upper Falls branch his duties beginning next Monday. George Keating of Newton Highlands will take his place here.

—At the range of the Massachusetts Rifle Association at Walnut Hill yesterday the different state military organizations contested for the rifle honors of the year. Lieut. Col. George H. Benson was superior at 200 yards and Major Robert B. Edes at 300 yards.

—There is only one ladies' hairdressing parlor in Newton and that is Mrs. L. P. Elliott-Anderson's. Here ladies desiring to prepare for parties, weddings or receptions can be served just as well as going to Boston. Ladies can be waited on at their residence if they desire.

—William S. Locke, who recently moved here, died at his home in the "Willard" Centre street Tuesday of apoplexy after a short illness. Mr. Locke was a native of Lexington and was 78 years of age. A wife and family survive him. Funeral services will be held from the house Saturday afternoon at 1.30 and the interment will be at Natick.

—John Burns has rented the following: The Emerson house, 30 Emerson street to Mr. Turnbull of Marlboro; Sprague house, 33 Capitol street to Mr. Jones of Nova Scotia; Stevenson house, Oakland street to Mr. Park of Thornton place; street 320 Centre street to Mrs. Lovell; Oak house, 78 Capitol street to Mrs. Clark of Cheshire; Wood house, Williams street to Mr. Harvey of Newton.

—At a regular meeting of the board of directors of the Newton Y. M. C. A., held Monday night in the associated rooms it was voted that the fee for full membership for boys be reduced from \$4.00 to \$3.00 per year. The boys' work committee plan to give an entertainment every two weeks to which boys only will be admitted. The anniversary of the association and reception will be held the last of October.

—The Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island has issued a circular, calling attention to the disaster in Galveston, Texas and requesting subordinate commanders to collect and forward to the Grand Treasury such contributions of money as the sympathy and generosity of the Sir Knights shall prompt them to give. Samuel Shaw, Grand Commander of Gethsemane Commandery, has issued a call for contributions from the Sir Knights of this Commandery to send their remittances to E. Sir J. B. Fuller, Treasurer, 18 Milk street, Boston. There is no doubt that the members of the fraternity will make a prompt and generous response.

### Political News.

Mr. Powers received the caucus returns at the Newton Club on Monday and Tuesday evenings, surrounded by friends from Newton, Boston, Needham, Dedham and Watertown.

On Monday evening Mr. S. W. Jones had to stand a deal of good natured chaffing over the contest in Ward 5, but had his revenge when the returns showed his election as a delegate by a vote of 215 to 54.

Mr. Powers has secured promises from well known voters to aid him in his canvass of this district, and some interesting rallies are to be booked for this vicinity.

It is hinted that there may be an independent Republican candidate for the General Court in this district.

The ballot at the Republican caucuses was in four folds. This size was necessary in order to properly display the names of the different delegations and also to print Mr. Hatfield's lengthy title in full.

A few figures in the Powers-Williams fight, Hyde Park, Powers 553, Williams 237; Brookline, Williams 299, Powers 163; Foxboro, Williams 35, Powers 34; Newton, Ward 5, Powers 215, Williams 54; Watertown, (average) Powers 340, Williams 115; Ward 23, Boston, Powers 176, Williams 350; Ward 25, Boston, Powers 316, Williams 209; No. Attleboro, Powers 204, Williams 86; Holliston, Powers 60, Williams 15.

Moorfield Storey, the well known lawyer of Boston, will be a candidate for congress in this district, probably as an independent.

Mr. Fred H. Williams has written a letter of congratulation to Mr. Powers, stating that his friends will move the nomination of Mr. Powers by acclamation.

It is rumored that the Natick senatorial delegation is for Col. Nutt instead of H. B. May and that in consequence, Mr. May's name will not be presented to the convention.

The executive committee of the Ward 7 Republican Club met yesterday afternoon at the club meeting in the near future.

### NEWTON.

—Subscription canvassers wanted. Apply at Graphic office. 1f

—Try the barber at 289 W. Washington street for a first class hair cut.

—Attention is called to Miss Smith's announcement of Fall Millinery. See adv.

—Letter-carriers James and William Dunn have been enjoying a trip to New York.

—Mrs. Wm. P. Ellison of Vernon street has returned from an extended sojourn at Sunapee.

—The Hotel Hunnewell will be under the same management as the "Hollis" after Oct. 1st. See adv.

—Mrs. O. F. Black of Williams street has returned from a summer's outing at her former home in Vermont.

—Rev. J. B. Gould and wife of Bennington street return this week from their summer home at Cottage City.

—Leds lamb, 12 cents per pound; fancy sweet potatoes, 10 pounds for 25 cents. Newton Corner Market. Tel. 221-2.

—Sheriff's sale of household effects and furniture Tuesday, Oct. 2, at 10 a. m., at Tucker's store house, Brooks street.

—Mrs. W. O. Trowbridge and Miss Miriam Trowbridge of Kenrick's park have returned from their summer home at Magnolia.

—At Channing church next Sunday the preacher will be Rev. James De Normandie of Roxbury. Service at 10.30. All are welcome.

—Don't fail to attend Rev. Mr. Bronson's illustrated lecture on his personal experience through "The Lord" and "The Lord" at M. E. church next Wednesday night.

—Miss Mable Esther Couillard will start a class in sight singing Saturday morning, Oct. 6, at 9.30 o'clock at her studio 91 Park street. She has also resumed pianoforte teaching.

—Mr. Wellington Howes has just placed three new order wacons in commission. They are the work of Mr. P. A. Murray, and have attracted considerable attention from their unique appearance. The bodies and running gear are white, and they look as neat as the market which they will serve.

—Music in Grace church, Sunday night. Processional Hymn, "I heard the Sound of Music." Magnificat. Tours in D. Anthem. "Let them praise the name of the Lord." Retrospectional, "Rejoice the Lord is King." H. W. P. Riker

Seats free.

—At the Methodist church last Friday evening Miss Young, a returned missionary from China gave an interesting account of the present condition in that country. She stated that all the mission buildings in Peking with the exception of the church were destroyed and that the recent uprising of the natives would mean a serious set back to missionary work. Miss Young intends to return to China as soon as practicable.

—The Women's Auxiliary held their first meeting of the season in the Y. M. C. A. hall Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. J. W. Brigham of Elmhorst road was elected treasurer, and Miss Fay Parler, chairman of the boys' work committee. Delegates were chosen to attend the annual conference of women's auxiliaries to be held at Haverhill, Oct. 8-11. Mr. S. M. Sayford addressed the meeting. After the business was transacted a social hour was enjoyed.

—The two handsome blacks which are seen in the double hitch which draw steam fire engine 1 to all fires in this district had a brief holiday yesterday which they enjoyed considerably more than did the firemen. In some manner they escaped from the stable and together with three several streets, including Charlesbank road, St. James street and Hunnewell Hill. It was rather hard to capture them as they were so tame. The animals did no harm and were so like two happy children enjoying a good romp that the firemen could find no fault with them.

### The Masons.

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## SCHOOL BOARD.

Gives To Waban Single Sessions.

In Prompt Response To A Petition.

There was a considerable amount of important business at Wednesday evening's meeting of the school board. Thirteen members were present and Chairman F. T. Benner, presided.

The city government notified the board that it had authorized the appropriation and expenditure of \$673.75 for a kindergarten in the Pelrose school at West Newton, and \$675 for conveyance of pupils.

Carlton D. Miller was appointed principal of the evening school at Nonantum, with Edwin R. Crane, Sarah F. Dorney, Nellie A. Dorney, and Mary F. Callane as assistants. Willard A. Marcy was appointed principal of the evening drawing school at Newtonville, with Warren C. Hill and Walter E. Kettle as assistants.

Harriet B. Spooner was transferred from the Ash street school to the Williams school at Abundance, and Susan C. Weston from the Ash street school to the Williams school.

The figures of the school census shown in Superintendent Field's report were as follows:

Sept. 19, 1899. Sept. 19, 1900. Increase  
High school, 706 High school, 727 21  
P. K. & G. 4023 P. K. & G. 4128 105  
Kindergarten, 436 Kindergarten, 496 60  
Total enrollment in 1900, 5551, total increase 186.

Mr. Field said the increase amounted to about 3.6 per cent. but that it would surely be doubled by Oct. 15. He said further that there would be need of two additional rooms for grammar pupils at the Bigelow school when it was opened. He said also that the committee of citizens in charge of the decorations in the new Bigelow building desired the Saturday before the building is to be opened to be designated as a day for public inspection. Mr. Field further recommended that the matter be left with the members of the Wards 1 and 7 committee with power to act in conference with the citizens, and the board so voted.

At the request of Mr. Howes of Ward 7 the committee on annual report was granted an extension of time in its preparation of the annual report.

An order to increase the salary of the janitor of the Waban school to \$300 was referred to the finance committee.

On recommendation of the finance committee the salary of Richard Neagle, the newly appointed janitor of the Thompsonville schoolhouse, was established.

Blanche A. Chadwick of the Cladin school was granted a leave of absence with pay, until Nov. 5. The salary of Irving O. Palmer, a master in the High school, was established at \$2300.

The board of printing and stationery was requested to print 2500 copies of the annual report of the school board.

The resignation of Louise H. Billings, teacher of Sloyd in the Pelrose building at West Newton, and of Ella B. Lowe, an assistant in the Waban school, were accepted.

On recommendation of the finance committee the sum of \$16,346 was appropriated for the school department expenses during September.

SINGLE SESSION AT WABAN.

Mr. Bacon of Ward 5 spoke in support of an order presented by him which called for the establishment of the single session in the Waban district.

Preceding his remarks there was the filing of a petition from Waban parents asking that single session plan be adopted.

Mr. Bacon said that 72 per cent of those parents who had been solicited to sign the petition were favorable, 17 per cent opposed and 11 per cent indifferent.

Concerning this the Ward 5 member said that of the parents who opposed the scheme six were his neighbors. Their liking of the old plan was because it kept the children in school the greater part of the day. Those among the opposition who lived some distance from the school, he said, gave no reasons. It was known that they simply refused to sign without a reason.

The indifferent ones had nothing to say, other than they didn't care.

Mr. Avery of Ward 2 said he had an experience which he thought was a good argument in favor of Mr. Bacon's order. His children attended the one session at the Eliot school while the new Adams was being erected. He thought they were greatly benefited thereby and that the work was made easier for the teachers.

Mr. Field was called upon and endorsed the plan so far as Waban was concerned. He said very often the pupils of that district failed to hear the storm signals and in many cases made a great distance. In the Pelrose district, however, it was yet an easy matter to get to the school, he said.

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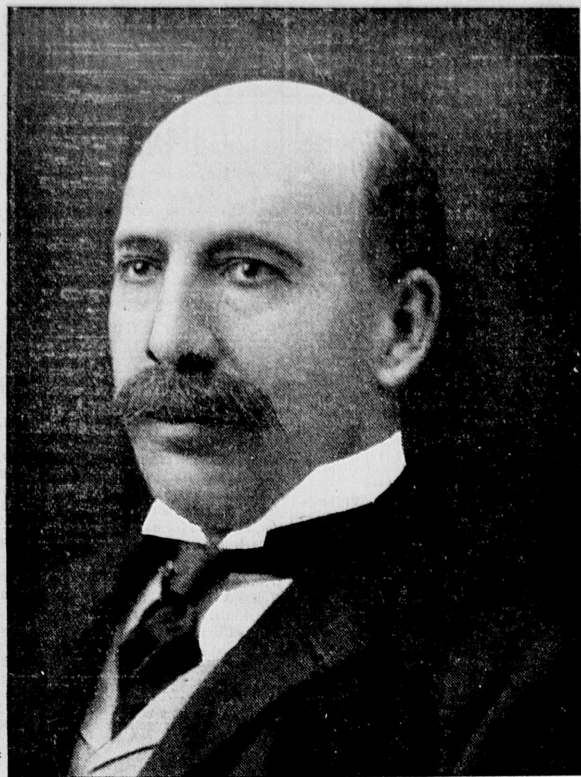
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## SOLID SUPPORT.

Every Congressional Delegate From Newton Will Stand for S. L. Powers.

Ward Five Proved To Be No Obstacle With The Republicans At Monday Night's Caucuses.

The Republicans held their annual caucuses last Monday for the selection of delegates to the various conventions of their party, to nominate candidates for the State election to be held Nov. 6th, 1900.

The storm centre was in the vicinity of Newton Highlands and was caused by the opposition in Ward 5, to the delegates favorable to Samuel L. Powers for Congress, in general, and to Mr. S. W. Jones in particular. A large vote of 288 was cast and Mr. Powers won handsomely. Mr. Jones, the low man on his ticket, receiving 215 votes to 54 cast for Mr. John E. Heymer, the highest man on the unpledged ticket.

In the senatorial situation the Bond delegates in Ward 3 were elected by a vote of 58 to 24, and in Ward 7 the unpledged delegates of Messrs. Whitaker, Weed and Garcelon was elected by a vote of 32 to 18. It is understood that the representative convention will not be unanimous for Messrs. Dana and Bullard, although their nomination is not in doubt. One unpledged delegate was elected in Ward 3, and a few of the Ward 2 delegation may also fall to line up with the others.

The following delegates were elected, the figures showing the number of votes each received:

### WARD ONE.

Total ballots cast 50.

Warden, Lewis E. Coffin, clerk; F. L. Trowbridge, state; H. E. Cobb 57; E. O. Childs 56; J. T. Langford 57; congressional, J. T. Lodge 55; Edw. Sawyer 55; R. Forknall 51; senatorial, H. B. Coffin 55; D. W. Stearns 52; E. J. H. Estabrook 56; county, W. H. Emerson 56; E. Barnes 55; F. W. Stone 57; counselor, E. P. Seales 57; M. E. Cobb 59; J. T. Beale 57; representative, (favorable to W. F. Dana) E. P. Seales 58; F. H. Tucker 52; O. M. Fisher 53; W. R. Brackett 55; R. Forknall 53; ward and city committee, F. W. Stone 55; M. E. Cobb 51; R. Forknall 50; O. M. Fisher 52; O. Childs 55; caucus officers, L. E. Coffin warden, 57; F. L. Trowbridge, clerk, 57; J. W. Fisher 55; H. S. Foss 56; Thos. Kynett 54; H. G. Reid 55; and Frank C. Potter 56, inspectors.

### WARD TWO.

Total ballots cast 78.

Warden, W. S. Higgins, clerk; S. K. Billings, state; S. Slocum 74; G. F. Williams 72; H. A. Boynton 73; J. M. Stickney 74; congressional, (pledged to S. L. Powers), W. S. Slocum 75; H. Chadwick 75; F. L. Nade 76; D. Cabot 72; senatorial, L. E. Moore 72; F. F. French 72; W. Price 72; E. P. Hatch 72; counselor, H. M. Chase 74; R. C. Bridgman 74; E. W. Bailey 74; J. F. Lathrop 75; county, W. W. Palmer 72; H. F. Ross 73; A. P. Carter 71; S. J. Spear 71; representative, L. E. G. Green 27; A. Doune 27; J. E. Frost 27; C. F. Avery 26; A. S. Bryant 26; W. H. Allen 25; W. H. Pulsifer 26; H. H. Deaton 27; ward and city committee, A. P. Carter 68; E. P. Hatch 68; W. Palmer 71; W. H. Allen 71; L. E. Moore 70; caucus officers, W. S. Higgins, warden, 70; S. K. Billings, clerk, 70; U. H. Lyster 68; E. Bradshaw 69; J. E. Frost 69; A. A. Savage 70; E. H. Cram 69, inspectors.

### WARD THREE.

Total ballots cast 112.

Warden, H. C. Wood, clerk; M. A. Richards, state; E. B. Wilson 99; H. M. Davis 105; A. E. Gill 103; G. P. Whitmore 103; congressional, (favorable to Samuel L. Powers), J. R. Carter 97; S. W. Manning 98; H. L. Ayer 99; J. B. Laverly 97; senatorial, (favorable to G. H. Bond), J. W. Weeks 98; C. A. Wyman 99; J. Lamson 98; B. F. Shattuck 98; counselor, B. F. Shattuck 100; V. E. Carpenter, 99; A. G. Hosmer 94; caucus officers, H. C. Wood, warden, 95; M. A. Richards, clerk, 97; F. E. Hunter 95; W. L. Plimpton 94; G. H. Baker 94; G. P. Rice 94; W. G. Folsom 93, inspectors.

### WARD FOUR.

Total ballots cast 73.

Warden, B. C. Ryder, clerk; G. L. Snow; state; G. D. Harvey, W. H. Blood, P. C. Baker, congressional, (favorable to S. L. Powers), F. Johnson, G. M. Fiske, G. H.

Bourne, senatorial, W. H. Young, J. F. Ryder, A. B. Hayden; county, E. W. Keyes, A. J. Desoe, G. P. Pickard; counselor, E. E. Hardy, P. P. Evans, C. S. Ober; representative, A. W. Little, W. E. Hadlock, J. Lambert, J. P. B. Fiske, R. E. Ashenden; ward and city committee, J. F. Ryder, A. W. Little, P. C. Baker, P. P. Evans, J. P. Warden; caucus officers, H. O. Ryder, warden; G. L. Snow, clerk; B. K. Brown, L. Waies, W. W. Tyler, T. H. Walter, P. C. Baker, inspectors.

### WARD FIVE.

Total ballots cast 288.

Warden, A. J. Grover; clerk, W. L. Thompson; state, Thomas White 192; K. Dunham 183; C. Mills 192; congressional, (favorable to S. L. Powers), F. J. Hale 228; G. H. Mellen 226; S. W. Jones 215; senatorial, W. B. Taylor 183; A. H. Willis 182; I. W. Sweet 177; county, G. M. Stone 198; O. E. Nutter 198; L. P. Everett 197; counselor, George May 191; J. F. Loring 187; G. B. Lapham 187; representative, Walter Chesley 184; L. P. Everett 80; Thos. W. White 80; L. H. Bacon 78; E. W. Varren 77; C. S. Luitwiler 77; Thos. White 77; ward and city committee, L. P. Everett 199; T. W. White 197; I. W. Sweet 180; E. P. Boston 194; G. M. Stone 194; caucus officers, J. A. Grover, warden, 207; E. B. Moulton, clerk, 196; R. E. Clark 202; J. P. Estabrook 203; C. V. Campbell 195; F. A. O'Connor 195; Chas. Mills 200, inspectors.

### WARD SIX.

Total ballots cast 58.

Warden, J. A. Cole; clerk, L. C. Paul; state, H. Baily 58; S. Ward 57; W. H. Coolidge 58; C. M. Goddard 57; congressional, (pledged for Samuel L. Powers), C. E. Kellogg 55; J. P. Tenney 55; I. C. Paul 54; W. M. Flinders 55; senatorial, (pledged), A. D. Claffin 56; H. D. Degen 56; G. E. May 56; A. D. Dowd 55; counselor, E. T. Colburn 56; B. Young 56; W. P. Cooke 56; W. C. Bray 57; county, A. L. Harwood 57; E. M. Fowle 56; H. Mason 57; A. Muldoon 56; representative, A. L. Harwood 58; A. D. Claffin 57; G. H. Ellis 57; A. Muldoon 57; G. R. Spencer 57; G. L. West 57; E. Winsor 57; A. T. Bradlee 57; ward and city committee, W. M. Flinders 56; G. S. Smith 53; A. L. Harwood 56; E. Winsor 53; A. D. Claffin 56; caucus officers, J. A. Cole 53; warden, I. C. Paul 53; clerk, A. Muldoon 52; L. Reed 51; R. F. Alvord 51; D. W. Bond 53; E. A. Brown 53, inspectors.

### WARD SEVEN.

Total ballots cast 80.

Warden, A. W. B. Huff; clerk, F. W. Lane; state, L. Weston 74; W. F. Dana 73; J. W. French 74; congressional, (pledged for S. L. Powers), D. W. Farquhar 77; G. S. Bullens 77; M. Wing 75; senatorial, (unpledged), N. C. Whitaker 32; G. M. Weed 32; W. F. Garcelon 31; counselor, E. H. Ellison 74; B. S. Rich 75; W. F. Garcelon 75; county, S. Farquhar 74; J. C. Brimble 73; A. Byfield 73; representative, (pledged to W. F. Dana), G. D. Gilman 69; W. P. Ellison 68; G. C. Travis 69; M. Wing 69; A. R. Weed 70; T. Weston, Jr., 69; ward and city committee, D. W. Farquhar 72; N. C. Whitaker 72; T. Weston, Jr., 74; E. H. Ellison 73; W. F. Garcelon 73; caucus officers, A. W. Blakemore, warden, 70; W. C. Whitney, clerk, 67; C. B. Allen 70; G. B. Haskell 71; A. C. Emery 70; H. Twombly 69; A. Scott 68, inspectors.

The defeated delegations received the following vote:

Ward 2, representative, R. C. Bridgman 23; C. S. Dennison 22; E. D. Van Tassel 23; J. L. Richards 21.  
Ward 3, senatorial, F. P. Barnes 22; W. T. Rice 22; A. C. Warren 22; E. T. Wiswail 24.  
Ward 5, congressional, J. H. Wentworth 47; F. P. Brown 46; J. E. Heymer 54; representative, H. A. Smith 75; H. A. Spear 74; O. E. Nutter 74; J. E. Peckham 73; G. G. Phillips 72; Alex. Davidson 72; E. J. Singleton 70.  
Ward 7, senatorial, M. R. Emerson 18; J. H. Wheelock 16; H. W. Kendall 16.

### Injuries Killed Him.

Bartholomew Connors of 130 Boylston street, Brookline, a laborer, was walking on the tracks of the circuit branch of the Boston & Albany near the Dean road bridge in Brookline last Saturday morning, when he was run over by a train. The manner of the accident is unknown. Connors was picked up by the crew of a western bound accommodation, due in Newton Centre at 6:50 a. m. The police ambulance carried the injured man from the Newton Centre station to the Newton hospital. His left leg was cut off above the ankle and his head crushed. He died at 4:30 Saturday afternoon. He remained there turned over to relatives and taken to Brookline. Connors is survived by a wife and two children.

## "AN OPEN DOOR."

Leads to Opportunities for Noble Work.

Helpful Words of Dr. Sheldon To Newton Endeavorers.

Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, D. D., of Topeka, Kansas, addressed a meeting of the Newton Christian Endeavor Union at the Eliot church, Tuesday evening. There was present a congregation of more than 600, including Endeavorers from all parts of the city, Waltham and Watertown.

The service was opened with Scripture reading by Rev. E. F. Snell of West Newton, followed by an address by Mr. Walter L. Colby, president of the C. E. Union, who introduced Rev. Dr. Sheldon.

He said in part:—"Dear friends, this is the greatest age the world has ever seen, not because of its money making power, not because of its inventions, not because of the knowledge of natural science, but because there never was such an age of the world that provided such a great opportunity for us to serve God and man."

"It seems to me as if I heard a voice saying, 'I have set before thee a door; open it and no man shall shut it.' It is concerning this open door that I wish to talk to you. I want to talk about the opportunities that face you today."

The first open door that presents itself is the open door of the church. What are you doing as you face this opportunity?

"I find some Christian Endeavor Societies are simply using their strength to go to meetings. They are sort of mutual admiration societies. They have such lovely meetings. I think the Lord wants it understood that a Christian Endeavor Society means work and service. Any society that simply revolves around itself should die; it will die; it is dead. As this open door of the church faces you, will you see that it exists as a wide open opportunity for you? Then there is the open door of the business world. Young men going into business, and you who are in business, how are you carrying it on? Every cent that comes into our hands should be ministered to God. If it is not we are embezzlers. God will call us to account for the money that is dishonestly earned and dishonestly spent."

During the course of his address, Rev. Mr. Sheldon touched upon a variety of topics, giving particular stress to the need of Christian statesmen. The time has come, he said, when we must train up a body of young men to be well fitted for public office. I don't know but what we could well establish schools for the training of young men into Christian statesmanship as well as theological schools.

At the close of the meeting, Rev. Mr. Sheldon was tendered a short informal reception by many of the Endeavorers present.

## ACCOUNTS SHOW \$1440 MISSING.

FIGURES DETERMINED BY INVESTIGATION OF POSTOFFICE INSPECTORS AT NEWTON UPPER FALLS SUBSTATION—BILLINGS YET UNHEARD OF.

The Newton Upper Falls substation of the postoffice system was visited last Saturday by Inspectors Pendleton and Towson who were detailed by Chief Inspector Evans. Their examination of the books revealed the fact that \$1440 was missing.

In addition to the above shortage they discovered that nearly the entire stock of stamps in the office was gone.

The embezzlements have extended over a period of two years, and even as far back as last April there was found to have been \$700 missing. Not only were the books of the office falsified but also the weekly reports sent to the main office.

The fact that the shortages have never been discovered is accounted for by reason of the large increase during the past two years in the money order business. No record of this increase ever was made, and the weekly reports were so falsified as to give Postmaster Ellis the impression that the substation at Upper Falls was doing no more than its former amount of money order business.

In connection with their investigations at Upper Falls it is more than likely that other offices in the Newton system will be visited.

Nothing new has been learned concerning the whereabouts of E. M. Billings, clerk in charge of the Upper Falls substation. A full description of him has been sent out and the inspectors hope to locate him before long.

### WASHINGTON, D. C.

Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.: Gentlemen:—Our family realize so much from the use of GRAIN-O that we feel I must say a word to induce others to use it. If people are interested in their health and the welfare of their children they will use no other beverage. I have used them all, but GRAIN-O I have found superior to any, for the reason that it is solid grain. Yours for health, C. F. MYERS.

## FIRST GAME A TIE.

NEITHER SIDE SCORED IN MATCH BETWEEN NEWTON FOOTBALL CLUB AND NEEDHAM A. ELEVEN—BOTH SIDES PUT UP A GOOD GAME.

The newly organized Newton football club lined up against the Needham A. eleven on the Cedar street gridiron at Newton Centre last Saturday. The game was the first of the season and marked a revival of athletics in this city. There was a large attendance.

In the first half the home team played against a heavy wind, which seriously handicapped the kicking department of the team, and as a result the ball was in Newton's territory nearly all of the time. Skelton's punting alone saved his team from defeat in this period, for every time Newton got the ball he was forced to boot it. Needham was held for downs only by the hardest work on Newton's part.

Newton showed its real strength in the second half, and at the opening of the period steadily advanced into Needham's territory on line plays. Johnson and McGrath also took turns circling the ends for gains. Just before the game was called Needham received the ball and advanced it to the center of the field.

Both sides were penalized much for off-side play, Newton being the greater offender. One of the chief obstacles the players had to meet was the crowding of spectators.

NEEDHAM A. A. NEWTON.  
Smith, 1, e.....F. E. Kerrigan  
D. F. Donahue, 1.....J. T. Duane  
Brace, 1, g.....J. G. Cutler  
Chesley, 9, e.....J. C. Andrews  
Gillespie, 1, g.....J. G. Murray  
Collins, 1, g.....J. T. Owens  
Nichols, 1, e.....J. C. Andrews  
Mills, 1, g.....J. G. Chase  
Remy, 1, g.....J. B. D. Johnson  
F. J. Donahue, 1, g.....J. B. McGrath  
Sanborn, 1, g.....J. B. Skelton  
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## Police Paragraphs.

Capt. C. P. Huestis has returned from his five months' trip to Alaska and has been placed in charge of division 2, with headquarters at the Rindville Hotel. The captain notices the change from the wide expanse of Alaska, to the seven by nine office at the Newton station.

Peter Keeley has been appointed a special officer without pay for a period of 30 days.

Lieut. Fred M. Mitchell and 12 patrolmen were detailed for special duty at the big racing meet in Rindville yesterday. It was a compliment to Newton to be called upon, and the Lieut. and his men fully sustained the excellent reputation of the department.

Thieves visited the house of Rev. E. H. Byington on Franklin street sometime between Saturday night and Sunday morning. They ransacked the house from top to bottom and left it in a most disturbed state. So far as can be ascertained nothing of value was taken.

One of the best runs credited to the police was made by a quick trade Monday evening when the ground between West Newton headquarters and Arsenal street, Watertown, was covered in 9 minutes. It was a "hurry call" on account of an accident case and Driver Jack Ayles was on the box.

In Tuesday's juvenile session of the police court Michael Joseph Higgins and Angus McIntire, each aged 13 years, were sent to the school for truants at North Chelmsford.

Owners of chestnut trees may content themselves, for Chief Tarbox has declared his determination of protecting the trees from the assaults of small boys. He has given special instruction to patrolmen and posted notices.

Judge Kennedy was on the bench Monday after an enjoyable vacation of three weeks.

George J. Johnson, an employ in a restaurant conducted by Mrs. Grace Hayes in Nonantum square, became intoxicated Tuesday afternoon and assaulted Mrs. Hayes and Gertrude Hadley, a waitress. Patrolman B. F. Burke was called upon and it was considerable difficulty secured Johnson's arrest. The women bore several scars as the result of Johnson's attack upon them. Johnson was arraigned in court Wednesday and fined \$10 on each assault count and \$5 for drunkenness, making \$25 in all.

An accommodation train due at West Newton station at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening was stopped at a point east of the Chestnut street bridge. Several car windows were broken and some of the passengers narrowly escaped injury. The police have several boys under suspicion whom they believe are guilty of throwing the stones.

William Fitzpatrick was arrested in Newton last Saturday night on a Waltham warrant, charged with assault on John Sunderhauf. Variants were also issued for the arrest of Henry, Fitzpatrick's brother, and William Manning. The two latter gave themselves up Monday morning. All three appeared in court, with R. M. Stark, Esq., as counsel, but the government was not ready and a continuance was granted till Saturday.

### Grace Church Choir.

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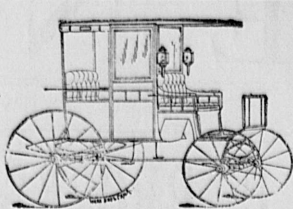
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## AUBURNDALE.

—Miss Mona Furness of Auburn street has returned from Woolwich, Me.

—Mrs. H. C. Dunham of Maple street has returned from an outing at Gloucester.

—Mrs. Boulter of Melrose street is entertaining friends from West Somerville.

—Mr. George W. Bourne of Woodbine street is out after an attack of malaria.

—Mr. J. P. B. Fiske and family of Central street returned Tuesday from Essex.

—Mr. George Keyes of Camden road is able to be out after an attack of rheumatism.

—Mr. J. F. Priest and family of Woodlawn road have returned from their vacation.

—Mr. Frank Paris, formerly with Johnson & Keyes Express, has moved to Chicago.

—Mrs. Walter P. Thorn of Melrose street has been spending part of the week in Lawrence.

—Miss Jennie Martin has returned to her duties at the postoffice after her annual vacation.

—Mr. J. H. Houghton and family of Bourne street have gone to their winter home in Boston.

—Miss Burbank, who has been the guest of friends here, has returned to her home in Woonsocket.

—The Misses Mosman of Commonwealth avenue have returned from an extended European tour.

—Mrs. John G. Blaisdell of Auburn street has returned from a trip to the White Mountains.

—Mrs. George Sutherland, who has been visiting friends here, returns this week to her home in Utah.

—Mrs. F. C. Hyde of Boston has moved here and is with Mrs. C. L. Markham on Lexington street.

—Mr. H. R. Turner and family are occupying their home on Maple street after a summer's absence.

—A successful and well attended Sunday school rally was held at the Methodist church last Sunday.

—Mr. George K. Page of Commonwealth avenue has returned from a business trip to Bangor, Me.

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—Mrs. Nellie Leach, who has been visiting friends here, returns this week to her home in Portland, Me.

—The Misses Kimball of Melrose street have returned from a business trip with an orchestra on the road.

—Miss Harriet Hunt, who returned recently from Epping, N. H., is now much improved in health.

—Mr. William Ames has returned from Milford, N. H., where he went to attend the wedding of his sister.

—Mr. Fred E. Whiting and family of Islington road are home from Marblehead, where they spent the season.

—Mrs. L. P. Ober and family will close their home here this week and move to their winter home in Boston.

—Rev. Calvin Cutler of Fern street occupied the pulpit of the Congregational church at Medway, last Sunday.

—Rev. Dr. F. E. Clark has been elected second vice president of the Chinese Protective Association of Boston.

—Mr. J. P. Murphy, formerly of Stamford street, leaves soon for Baltimore where he will go into business.

—Mrs. Clarence Ashenden, Miss Helen Stewart and Miss Mitchell, have returned from a vacation trip to Woolwich, Me.

—The stores in this village were closed from 2 to 3 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon, during the funeral of the late C. C. Barr.

A party of seventy-five Lasell students went to Eliot church, Newton, last Tuesday evening, to hear Rev. Charles M. Sheldon.

—The opening meeting for the season of the junior young people's society will be held in the vestry of the Congregational church this afternoon.

—Mr. Edward B. Wildman, clerk at the postoffice, is suffering from injuries caused by the front fork of his bicycle breaking while riding on Melrose street.

—An interesting descriptive article on the Woodland Golf Club of this place with views of the links, was published in the Boston Sunday Herald of Sept. 23d.

—The young son of Mr. George W. Peterson of Grove street, is at the Newton hospital suffering from injuries, the result of a fall of 30 feet from the Grove street railway bridge.

—A number of members of the local N. E. C. P. attended a meeting of the National Lodge at Watertown, last evening, when several candidates were installed by the degree staff of Boston lodge.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Sanford Inman, who were recently married here, and have been enjoying their honeymoon in the Adirondacks, will on their return make their home on Abbotford road, Brookline.

—Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Isabelle Orr Nutter, daughter of Mr. Edward W. Nutter of East Bridge-water to Mr. Walter B. Southgate of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Southgate will be at home after Nov. 1st, at Trinity Court, Boston.

—Mr. Leon N. Bayentz of Boston and another have purchased of the Western Bank through the office of Edward T. Harrington & Co., a house and 13,000 feet of land located on Auburndale avenue.

—At the Clarendon Street Baptist church, Boston, last evening, a London eho and home reception was given in honor of Rev. Dr. F. E. Clark, president of the World's Christian Endeavor Society, and Mrs. Clark. The speakers, beside Dr. Clark, were Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, the Rev. P. S. Hatch, president of the State Christian Endeavor Union, Mr. William Shaw and Mayor Thomas N. Hart.

## Lasell Notes.

On Saturday evening all pupils who knew how to swim were invited to an evening's sport in the swimming tank, and those who did not possess a knowledge of this accomplishment to come and look on at the frolic. The fun was general and the evening a jolly one throughout.

The Lasell Missionary Society made a good move when it secured Mrs. Lucy Waterbury of Cambridge, secretary of the Baptist Woman's Board of Foreign Missions, and herself a former missionary to India, to address the students on the subject of missions, their work, and the great necessity of them. Her address was listened to with keen interest, and at its close those present, teachers and pupils alike, gathered up around the chapel platform to give personal greeting to the speaker. The society had provided for the occasion a very tastefully devised program card for the year's work in its meetings, and a pack of pledge cards, which were distributed to those present. Mrs. Waterbury was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Norma Waterbury, now at Radcliffe.

Those who went on the excursion to Nantasket on Monday had a perfect day for their trip, and came back enthusiastic over the delight of their sightseeing. Mr. Bragdon accompanied them.

## NEWTON.

—Mr. P. Y. Hosenow has returned from his business trip to the provinces.

—Miss Sanborn of Kendal Green, is visiting friends on Centre street.

—Miss Ada Dana of Centre street returned Saturday from a vacation.

—Mrs. Fredrick and family are moving to their future home in Philadelphia.

—Miss Emma Sanford of Boyd street is at home after an enjoyable vacation.

—Mr. Carl Ellison of Vernon street returned last week from Sunapee, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Barker of Hyde avenue are out of town on a vacation trip.

—Mr. Edwin A. Whiting of Jefferson street is away on a business trip to Vermont.

—Mrs. E. A. Whitney of Jefferson street is visiting friends in Ashburnham and Fitchburg.

—Mr. Alvin H. Clifford of Waverley avenue returned the last of the week from a vacation.

—Mrs. J. R. Atwood has returned to her home in Bucksport, Me., after a visit to friends here.

—Mr. George P. Gross of Hunnewell terrace has returned from a short trip to New Gloucester, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Fredericks of El-dredge street have returned from a vacation spent at Clifton.

—Miss Dunbar, who has been the guests of friends here, returned Friday to her home in Waterville, Me.

—Mrs. O. Mosher, who has resided at 22 Park street for the past thirty years, has moved to Highlandville.

—Mrs. A. C. Bailey is at her home on Hunt street, after a pleasant visit to friends in Providence and Newport.

—Mr. Edward M. Hallett of Centre street, who was operated on recently for appendicitis, is able to be out.

—Mrs. M. L. Storer and family have moved from Maple street to the Hotel Curtis, Mt. Vernon street, Boston.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Kepner of Maple avenue have returned from a summer's sojourn at North Weymouth.

—Mr. and Mrs. William E. Jones, who have been away during the summer have opened their house on Elmhurst road.

—Mr. Herbert Stebbins and family of Centre street have returned from the shore where they spent the summer season.

—Miss Margaret McClellan of Centre street returned Saturday from a three weeks' visit to friends in Madison, Me.

—Mr. S. M. Sayford of Hyde avenue, the well known Evangelist, will begin in October a series of meetings in Springfield.

—Mrs. E. J. Overing and the Misses Overing of Nebraska, who have been visiting friends here, left this week for Trenton, N. J.

—Although Mr. W. A. Parks has removed to Highlandville, he will still continue his laundry business throughout the Newton.

—L. Edwin Chase, the well known violin and mandolin teacher, will resume lessons with pupils Oct. 1st. Address 20 Maple avenue.

—Miss Stevens, who has been the guest of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. George W. Shinn of Linden terrace, has returned to her home in Summit, N. J.

—At the Immanuel Baptist church this evening the mid-week meeting will be held. The general subject to be considered is "Patience."

—Mrs. John K. Taylor of Waverley avenue left the last of the week for Richmond, Indiana, where she will be the guest of friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Farlow were recent passengers on the Augusta Victoria bound for Hamburg. They will spend an extended season in European travel.

—Miss C. Blanche Rice is playing her last week in Boston in "Tadpoles" in the County Fair, the engagement at the Park Theatre closing on Saturday night.

—Mr. A. J. Wellington was among the prominent golf players who participated in the Myopia hunt club's open scratch tournament played at Hamilton the past week.

—Miss Edith Eddy of Franklin street and Miss Priscilla Alden of Centre street are in Framingham, where they are taking up a special course of studies at the Normal school.

—At the Methodist church next Sunday evening, Rev. George K. Grose, the pastor, will give the third of his "Plain Talks on Great Things." The special subject will be "Who is Jesus?"

—Mr. Alvin R. Bailey of Centre street is out of town this week enjoying the annual autumn excursion of the Appalachian Mountain Club. This year the club is taking a trip through New York state.

—Mr. J. Wallace Goodrich, the well known organist, will have the honor of presiding at the new organ in the first concert of the regular series to be given in the new Symphony Hall, Boston, the middle of October.

—The parish house of Grace church was well filled Monday evening with members of the Sunday school and the chorister's class. A splendid program was presented consisting of a sketch, "A Pair of Ladies," by Miss Gertrude Holmes and Mr. Leverett D. Bentley; songs by Mr. Fred C. Green, character sketches by songs by Mr. Ellis Ward and graphophone selections by Mr. Frank Hill.

—At the Methodist church, Wednesday evening, Oct. 3rd, Dr. Dillon Bronson of Boston will give his illustrated lecture on "Norway, Spitzbergen and Iceland," under the auspices of the Epworth League. This is perhaps the best of Mr. Bronson's lectures on foreign travel and is the result of his last summer's tour in the Land of the Midnight Sun.

—In the recent tournament of the Mount Vernon Golf Club held on the club links, the runner-up cup offered by Mr. E. Kempshall of this place was won by Mr. W. D. Rees of Southboro. In the woman's championship the medal given by Mr. Bates of the "Grand" was awarded to Miss Iva Kempshall. Miss Kempshall also won the Grand Hotel cup in the handicap tournament.

—The funeral of Mrs. Mary McMullen was held last Saturday morning at 9 at the Church of Our Lady. High mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. M. Dolan. There were many friends and relatives present. The pallbearers were Messrs. Nicholas and Patrick McMullen, Edward Murphy and Charles, Hugh and Daniel Quinn. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, Watertown.

—The annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society was held at the Methodist church Monday afternoon. It was reported that \$175 had been raised during the year. These officers were elected: President, Miss Clara Cushman; Vice-president, Mrs. George H. Grose; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Albert Barber; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Fanny Barber; Treasurer, Mrs. A. E. Eager. Mrs. Eager was also elected a member of the board of government of the New England branch. At the annual meeting of the Home Missionary Society held at the same place the officers chosen were: President, Mrs. Abbie Hannaford; Vice-president, Mrs. Tyrrel; Recording Secretary, Mrs. H. F. Leonard; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. D. F. Barber; Treasurer, Mrs. Leonard.

—Mr. James C. Elms is ill at his home on Arlington street.

—Miss Mary Childs is visiting friends in Hawley and Northampton.

—Rev. Dr. William H. Davis returned Friday from a trip to Dorset, Vt.

—Miss Emma Sweeney has entered the Lowell school of Practical Design.

—Miss Clara Stone of Newtonville avenue has returned from Baldwinville.

—Miss Florence Hubbard of Eliot place has entered Wheaton Seminary at Norton.

—Mr. and Mrs. James S. Norris removed Monday from Roxbury to Williams street.

—J. H. Wheelock of Washington street leaves this week for a European business trip.

—Mr. E. W. Converse and wife of Centre street are back from a trip to New York.

—Frank Tule of Hubbard's drug store, has entered the College of Pharmacy in Boston.

—Mrs. Harry Arnold, who has been the guest of her mother, has returned to Bangor, Me.

—Mrs. Mary J. Wheelock of Bennington street has been enjoying a trip through the White Mountains.

—Mr. George D. Allen and wife of Centre street have returned from a trip to the White Mountains.

—Mr. A. Lawrence Edmonds of Centre street returned Monday from the Crawford House, White Mountains.

—Mrs. B. S. Wetherbee of Charlesbank road has returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Parker in Troy, N. Y.

—Mrs. Lee Hadley, who has been ill with diphtheria at the home of her parents on Pearl street, is able to be out.

—Pitt F. Parker of Troy, N. Y., is the son of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Briggs of Washington street.

—Mrs. Louis Liseux of New York with her children are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cobb of Hyde avenue.

—Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Frisbie of Centre street have returned from a visit to Judge J. T. Wilson at Edgell, Nahant.

—Miss Bertha M. Bentley of Tremont street returned Monday from Ashburnham, where she passed the summer.

—E. A. Lincoln, the new secretary of the Y. M. C. A., has moved here with his family, and is residing on Bacon street.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Paxton and Mrs. James Paxton of Elmwood street have returned from their summer home at Cotuit.

—Mrs. S. L. Whitcomb and Miss Mary Whitcomb of Richardson street return this week from Camden Village and Intervale, N. H.

—Mrs. C. J. Harris, who has been the guest of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Davis of Park street, has returned to her home in Detroit.

—Mr. John Morgan and wife of Centre street returned Saturday from a trip through western Massachusetts and Connecticut.

—F. L. Beverly leaves this week for Machias, Me., where he will join Mrs. Beverly who has been spending the summer there.

—James H. Earle has been elected president of the Chinese Protective Association which was organized in Boston on Monday.

—At the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Single Tax League held in Boston Monday evening, Mr. Pillsbury was re-elected president.

—The work of the chorus in connection with the quiet will be continued at Eliot church next Sunday under the direction of Everett E. Truette.

—The "Pelham Sing" is to be held in Lowell Thursday, Oct. 4th. Mr. E. A. Barrell will play the organ and Everett S. Glines will be one of the soloists.

—Mr. Samuel L. Powers of Arlington street was elected a member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company at a meeting held in Boston, Monday.

—Edgar A. Barrell has been playing the organ at Trinity church, Boston, the past three Sunday mornings. His place at Grace church has been filled by Miss Mary F. Curtis of Newton Highlands.

—Capt. Ferris of Indiana has been a guest the past week of his brother, Col. A. M. Ferris of Washington street. Capt. Ferris served with the 30th Massachusetts in the civil war, and for gallant conduct was given a medal of honor.

—Mr. Frank H. Bart of Charlesbank road returned Saturday from the Mount Vernon region. Mr. Bart has been located on the summit of Mt. Washington the greater part of the time, where he has published the "Among the Clouds."

—At Eliot church next Sunday evening at 7.30, Rev. Dr. Francis E. Clark will make a talk on "Pekin Just Before the Uprising." Dr. Clark left Peking, China ten days before the city gates were closed returning to England by the way of Siberia.

—A meeting of the executive committee of the Entertainment Club, held Saturday evening, plans were considered for the coming season. The committee has conferred with the standing committee of Channing church and a number of important social events will be given during the winter.

—A business meeting of the Eliot Y. P. S. C. was held in the chapel of Eliot church last Sunday evening. A nominating committee was appointed consisting of Miss Mary Childs and Messrs. H. Sparks Johnson and C. E. Ensign, Jr. to bring in the names of officers for the coming year at the October business meeting.

## Newton Public Schools.

The enrolment of pupils in the public schools of Newton numbers 5351,







## NEWTONVILLE.

—Mrs. C. H. Brown has returned from a trip to New Hampshire.

—Mrs. Fred S. Cotton is reported quite ill at her home on Brooks avenue.

—Mr. Robert Rolfe of Clyde street left last week for college at Hanover.

—Mrs. Webster of Bowers street is much improved from her recent accident.

—Mr. J. Walter Hamilton of Crafts street has returned from a trip to Virginia.

—Mrs. H. M. Thayer and son of Walnut street have returned from Nantasket.

—Mr. N. H. Chadwick of Walnut street has returned from North Woodstock.

—Mrs. Wolfe Londoner and family of Austin street have moved to Boston.

—Miss Kimball of Brooks avenue left Friday for Smith College, Northampton.

—Miss Mabel Hall of Brooks avenue has returned from a short trip to Gloucester.

—Mr. Carl Miller is moving here and will reside in the Cooley house on Broadway.

—Mr. George E. Mudgett and family of Walnut street moved Tuesday to Allston.

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—Mrs. J. L. Jellison of Kimball terrace continues to improve from her recent illness.

—Miss Helen Mills of Washington street has returned from a trip to Yarmouth, N. S.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Baker have removed here and will reside on Walnut street.

—Mrs. Alfred Pierce of 40 Clyde street has just returned from an enjoyable trip abroad.

—Mr. A. E. Wyman and wife of Highland avenue return this week from a vacation.

—Mr. Harry V. Jones and family of Dexter road have returned from South Duxbury.

—Dr. D. E. Baker of Walnut street has been spending a part of the month in Colorado.

—A well-attended missionary meeting was held at the Methodist church yesterday afternoon.

—Miss Alice Rollings of Walnut street has returned from a ten days' trip to New Hampshire.

—Mr. Ellis and family of Framingham have moved into the Harkins house on Crafts street.

—Miss Walker, who has been visiting friends here, returns this week to her home in Springfield.

—Mr. Newton Hammond and family of Allston have moved here and are living on Highland park.

—Mr. Frank W. Amidon is making extensive repairs to his greenhouses on Brooks avenue.

—Miss Mary A. Harrington of Edinboro street has entered the Waltham Training school for nurses.

—Miss Lucia Proctor of Trowbridge avenue left Monday for the fall term at Wellesley College.

—Mr. Robert M. Chapman of Judkins street has returned from a two weeks' trip to Saybrook, Conn.

—Mrs. Henry J. Topping of Crafts street has been entertaining a friend from New York the past week.

—Mr. John A. Fenno with his wife and daughter of Walnut street has returned from New Hampshire.

—Mr. Marcus Morton and wife of Highland avenue are at home from their summer outing at Kennebunk.

—The Newton Provision Company will open a branch market in the store occupied until recently by Mr. Fitch.

—Prof. Walters will hold a reception preparatory to beginning a dancing class in Masonic Hall this evening.

—Mrs. A. W. Davis of South Londonderry, Vt., is the guest of her son, Rev. O. S. Davis of Judkins street.

—Miss Josephine Danforth and Miss Ellen Valentine of Austin street are visiting relatives at Raymond, N. H.

—Miss Alice E. Dunham of Court street has returned from a short visit to friends in the western part of the state.

—Mr. Charles Stone, who has been the guest of friends on Washington park has returned to his home in Cambridge.

—Mr. Charles K. Drury and wife of Washington park have returned from a visit to their daughter in Jamestown, N. Y.

—Mrs. Edward Jackson of St. Louis, who has been the guest of Mrs. William W. Jackson of Mill street, has gone to Hartford, Conn.

—Mr. George W. Morse and wife of Court street have returned from their trip to Mr. Morse's camp at the Katahdin Iron Works, Me.

—Superintendent L. H. McLean of the Newton & Boston street car line has returned from a short vacation outing spent in Vermont.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Burgess and Mr. George K. Burgess of Otis street have returned from a vacation outing spent at Jackson, N. H.

—The rally of the Sunday school will be held at the Methodist church next Sunday at 12:15. An address will be made by the pastor, and it is hoped there will be a large attendance.

—The first regular church meeting of the Universalist church will be held in the chapel Friday evening, Oct. 5th, when the pastor will give an address on "The Work Before Us."

—The Rev. Dr. T. Corwin Watkins, corresponding secretary of the Deaconess Home and Training School, gave an interesting address on "Our Sister, the Deaconess," at the Methodist church last Sunday morning.

—At the residence of Miss Upham on Churchhill avenue last Wednesday a meeting of the Newtonville Baptist division was held. There was a good attendance and several matters of importance were considered.

—The first meeting for the season of the Leona-Hall will be held next Wednesday with the Misses Bartlett on Madison avenue. The whist parties, which were so successful last winter, will be repeated, beginning the first Tuesday in November.

—In the rooms of the Associated Charities, yesterday, a visitor's meeting was held at 3 o'clock, and the first Director's meeting for the season followed at 5 o'clock, when plans were discussed for the coming winter's work. An encouraging report was received from the Penny Savings system.

—The Young Men's club of St. John's church will resume their meetings the first of October. The membership now numbers about 40, and much interest is being manifested in the coming season's work. Plans are being considered for the production of an opera some time in the winter.

—Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Calvert Cray were at the Summit on Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton brought their little son, Arthur Dean Hamilton, 6 months and 13 days old, who is the youngest child on Mount Washington this year, while we have no recollection of any younger baby ever being on the Summit. "A young 'b' boy clouds."

—Subscription canvassers wanted. Apply at Graphic office.

—Mr. E. W. Howe and wife of Crafts street have returned from Jackson, N. H.

—Miss Charlotte Emery of Edinboro street has returned from Newmarket, N. H.

—Mr. Charles Chambers of Lowell avenue is able to be out after his recent illness.

—Mrs. Holland of Concord, N. H., is visiting Mrs. J. H. Brown of Bowers street.

—Miss I. Maude Capen of Ellsworth, Me., is the guest of friends on Washington street.

—Mrs. W. H. Kelch of Wilton road has returned from Lake George and Bar Harbor, Me.

—Mrs. Mary E. Parker and daughter of Edinboro circle have returned from Ocean Grove, N. J.

—Mr. F. F. Raymond and daughter of Otis street have returned from Jefferson Highlands, N. H.

—Arthur S. Flynn has returned from the Thousand Islands, N. Y., and will spend the winter in Boston.

—Mr. H. A. Patterson, who has been in town this week, has returned to his summer home in Dublin, N. H.

—Mrs. George H. Shapley of Nevada street is making a tour of England, Ireland, France, Germany and Switzerland.

—P. J. Timoney of Harvard street, conductor on the Wellesley & Boston street railway, is enjoying a trip to New York.

—Mrs. Edward Payson Call of Larchmont Manor, N. Y., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Edward A. Whiston of Highland avenue.

—Mr. William F. Lunt of Newtonville avenue has been elected a member of the American and Honorable Artillery company of Boston.

—At St. John's church in the future a communion service will be held the first Sunday in the month at 10:45, and the third Sunday at 9 a. m.

—At the rally service to be held at the Congregational church, Newton Highlands, Sunday evening, at 7:30, Rev. O. S. Davis will be the speaker.

—Mr. M. A. Powers and family of Walker street return this week from Great Diamond Island, Casco Bay, Me., where they spent the summer.

—Miss Josephine Sherwood has resigned her position as organist at St. John's church, and Mr. Brigham has been engaged to fill the position.

—Rev. Ozora S. Davis of Judkins street was in Laconia, N. H., yesterday, where he was a speaker at the New Hampshire State Endeavor convention.

—Rev. Dr. W. W. Foster, president of Rust University, and Mrs. Foster, who have been spending the season here, have returned to Holly Springs, Miss.

—Don't fail to attend Rev. Mr. Bronson's illustrated lecture on his personal experiences through Iceland and Norway at Newton M. E. church next Wednesday night.

—A meeting of Mt. Ida Council, Royal Arcanum, was held in Denison Hall last Monday evening. There was a good attendance of members and an initiation was held.

—Mr. A. E. Hooper of Austin street found a valuable bicycle on Elmwood street Tuesday evening and left it at Payne's drug store, where it was claimed later by the owner.

—Miss Sophronia B. Rich of Edinboro street has received the appointment as assistant teacher of Greek, history, English and algebra in the high school in Haverhill.

—Miss Kate W. Lockett of Highland avenue has returned from Bath, Me., where she was the guest of the Misses Eleanor and Catherine Hooper at their summer home, the Dike Homestead.

—Mr. George Royal Pulsifer of Birch Hill road is armed with much success a prominent role in Mrs. Irving Winslow's "Inconstant," which was given last week in Concord and Lincoln, Mass.

—Mrs. John Carter of Highland avenue sailed on the Cunard liner Luconia from New York Saturday for a few weeks' European trip. She was accompanied by her brother, Mr. Reginald Ward.

—Miss Jeannette A. Grant, who owns a desirable lot on Canonious avenue, Cottage City, has under consideration a plan to form a teachers' club and build a club house on the land for a summer home.

—Mr. and Mrs. James W. Fenno have sent out invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Maud Upton Fenno, and Mr. William Shattuck Osborn at Grace church, Tuesday, Oct. 9th, at 8 o'clock.

—Mr. Joseph Knight, the well-known publisher, who was formerly in business in Boston and a resident of this place, is moving back from Philadelphia with his family and will reside on Walnut street.

—Rev. Ozora S. Davis, pastor of the Central Congregational church, has begun a series of studies of the New Testament for the Friday evening meetings. The series will continue through the winter.

—Mr. John Marshall of Cambridge, while riding his wheel on Walnut street, near the bridge, yesterday afternoon, was thrown to the ground, receiving injuries to his leg and face. He was able to return to his home.

—At the Universalist church, next Sunday, morning service at 10:45. Rev. Samuel G. Dunham, the pastor, will occupy the pulpit, preaching a sermon on "The Universalist Church and Its Work in Massachusetts."

—The first executive meeting of the officers of the Newtonville Women's Guild was held in the Central church parlors this morning. There was a good attendance and plans were discussed for the coming season's work.

—Rev. Mr. Bowen of Los Angeles, Cal., occupied the pulpit of the Swedenborgian church, Highland avenue, last Sunday. The service next Sunday will be conducted by Rev. James Reed, pastor of the Bowdoin Street church, Boston.

—The committee of arrangements for the convention of the Massachusetts Newtonville convention is perfecting their plans and will be ready to entertain the delegates on Thursday, Oct. 11th, at the Swedenborgian church on Highland avenue.

—Hon. and Mrs. J. Wesley Kimball announce the marriage of their daughter Edith to Rev. Dr. Karl Schmidt, the ceremony to take place at Grace church, Newton, Saturday evening, Oct. 6th, at 8 o'clock. A reception will follow at the family residence on Washington park.

—Rev. S. G. Dunham is attending the annual session of the Massachusetts Universalist convention in Springfield. The delegates from the local church are Mrs. Frank W. Wise and Mrs. Dobson, and from the Y. P. C. U., Miss A. M. Bartlett and Miss Grace Curtis.

—Mr. Benjamin T. Wells, son of Mrs. Martha A. Wells, died at his home on Otis street last Sunday. Mr. Wells was a former well-known Boston business man. Funeral services were held from his late residence Tuesday afternoon at 2:30, conducted by Rev. William J. Thompson, pastor of the Methodist church, and the interment was in the Newton cemetery.

—Miss Nellie M. Bishop of Walnut street has returned after a visit at Greenfield. While there she attended the coaching parade, which is the event of the season. The day in which she rode was one of the most novel in the parade. There were over 200 yellow chrysanthemums on the trap, making it like a huge basket of flowers.

## WEST NEWTON.

The wheels were decorated with chrysanthemums and black fleur-de-lis. A black horse with yellow harness completed the rig. The girls wore black gowns and large yellow poke picture hats, trimmed with black plumes.

—E. B. Waite of Otis street is home from a trip to New York.

—Dr. Williams of Waltham street has moved to Brookline.

—George A. Frost of Chestnut street is back from Osterville.

—F. N. Wales and family of Eliot avenue are back from Poughkeepsie.

—Miss Mary Everett of Chestnut street is back from Plymouth.

—Miss Edna Shattuck of Waltham street has entered Wellesley College.

—Mr. A. T. Thompson and wife of Otis street are back from Alorton.

—J. L. Kent of Waltham street has returned from Brooklyn, N. Y.

—S. E. Thompson is reported quite ill at his home on Waltham street.

—Miss Margaret Allen of Waltham street is visiting friends in Falmouth.

—Miss Jennie Allen of Washington street sailed this week for Europe.

—Leonard Seaton of Dunstan street has returned from a trip to New York.

—Harry Inman of Auburn street is able to be out after his recent illness.

—E. E. Leland and family of Otis street have returned from Swampscott.

—Otis G. Robinson of Lenox street has returned from a trip to New York.

—H. B. Day and family returned Monday from their summer home at Wauano.

—Henry Fleming is making extensive repairs to his house on Washington street.

—Mr. Albion F. Cummings and wife are moving into a house on Lincoln court.

—W. M. Bullivant and family of Mt. Vernon street have returned from Marion.

—Mr. Adelbert Loukes and wife of Davis avenue have moved to Highgate Centre, Vt.

—C. W. Leatherbee and family of Mt. Vernon street have returned from Marion.

—Mr. H. L. Tilton and wife of Greenwood avenue have moved to Newton Centre.

—Arthur Taber and family of Temple street have returned this week from the Cape.

—Mrs. L. D. Houghton and Miss Pray of Hillsdale avenue have returned from a visit in Lynn.

—Mrs. William Webster of Fountain street has returned from an outing spent at Marion.

—George Ferneaux of Webster street has returned from Essex, where he spent the summer.

—R. S. Gorham and family of Prince street returned Saturday after a month's absence.

—Mrs. Buck of Tarrytown, N. Y., is a guest at the Allen homestead on Washington street.

—Prof. Albert E. Burton of Boston is moving into the Carpenter house on Webster street.

—G. H. Frost and wife of Fuller street are at home from an outing at the White Mountains.

—Mr. Henry F. King and wife of Temple street return this week from a summer at Cottage City.

—Fred Talbot entertained the whist club at his home on Washington street last Monday evening.

—Mrs. A. F. Fiske of Watertown street is quite ill and has been removed to the Newton hospital.

—Mr. M. N. Adams and wife of Temple street are back from a trip to New Hampshire and Vermont.

—Estimates for upholstering, mattresses, and window shades given at M. H. Haase's, 25 Chestnut street.

—Charles Thompson of Waltham street has returned from a trip to northern New York and Canada.

—James Murphy of the West Newton Carriage Company left Saturday for a ten days' trip to New York.

—Samuel Hobbs and family of Temple street have returned from an extended vacation at Beach Bluff.

—The monthly meeting of the Co-operative Bank will be held in the bank building last Wednesday evening.

—Mr. Rowe and family of Jamaica Plain have moved into one of the Carpenter houses on Putnam street.

—B. E. Bloom of Washington street has returned from New York, where he attended the Jewish festival.

—Harvey C. Wood of Highland street has returned from Richmond, Va., and other points in the south.

—W. F. Hawley and family have returned from North Falmouth and reopened their residence, 283 Highland avenue.

—John Avery and family of Perkins street return this week from a summer's sojourn at Crow Point, Hingham.

—Mr. John Gately and wife, who have been the guests of Mr. Edward Gately of River street have returned to Chicago.

—F. W. Remick of Exeter street has been elected a member of the governing committee of the Boston Stock Exchange.

—The first fall meeting of the Home Circle will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 27 at 2 p. m., in the Unitarian church parlors.

—Mrs. Charles F. Hill of Warwick road is entertaining her sister, Mrs. William Wentzell and children of Wentzell's Lake, N. S.

—R. B. Young and family of Berkeley street will spend the winter in Boston. Mr. Glover of Prince street will occupy the house.

—M. Scott and family, who have been occupying the Towne house on Commonwealth avenue during the summer have returned to Boston.

—At the First Baptist church next Sunday evening the pastor will preach upon "Discipleship." It is expected there will be baptism at this service.

—Mrs. C. B. Abby, who has been the guest of her father, Mr. Charles E. Scamman of Henshaw street, returned Saturday to her home in Jameville.

—George T. Lincoln of Lenox street, who is a member of the Brae Burn Golf Club has entered the lists for the invitation handicap tournament to be played on the links of the Salem Golf Club.

—One of the successful fishermen at Nine, Moosehead Lake, Me., the past week, has been Mr. Wilder M. Bush. He has taken several strings of ten and a dozen fish, which average a pound each.

—Rev. George H. Cate of Watertown street, secretary of the American Tract Society, was one of the speakers at the meeting held in Boston, Monday evening, to organize the Chinese Protective Association.

—Mr. Ralph Davenport of Auburndale, who died Aug. 22, was a P. N. C. of Crescent Commandry, U. O. G. I. den Cross. His wife was the recipient, the 17th of Sept., of a check covering his insurance in that order.

—Mr. Robert Gaw of Cherry street is confined to his home, the result of a severe fall.

—Mr. Wilder M. Bush and wife of Temple street have returned from Kineo, Moosehead Lake.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Lillian I. Bowen of Boston to Mr. Henry F. Cate of this place.

—Dr. Owen Copp, executive officer of the Society of Humanity, has recently occupied a house on Sterling street.

—Mr. R. A. Barbour and wife, who have been the guests of Mr. A. J. Barbour of Perkins street, have returned to Pittsfield.

—The first meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Tuesday evening, Oct. 2, at 3 o'clock in the Baptist vestry. A good attendance is desired.

—Don't fail to attend Rev. Mr. Bronson's illustrated lecture on his personal experiences through Iceland and Norway at Newton M. E. church next Wednesday night.

—A meeting of the executive committee of the West Newton Woman's Educational club will be held at the residence of Mrs. George A. Walton on Chestnut street, Monday afternoon, Oct. 8th.

—At the Congregational church next Sunday a Sunday school rally will be held. Classes from the primary department will be promoted to the main school with appropriate exercises, and a large attendance is desired.

—Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Hettie Leah Mallon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Kendall Mallon of this place, to Mr. Walter Edward Guilford of Newton Centre, at the First Baptist church here, on Tuesday, Oct. 9th, at 8 o'clock.

—At the 43rd annual exhibition of the Hingham Agricultural and Horticultural Society, held Tuesday, a feature of the day was the firemen's contest. The "Newton" participated in the play out, throwing a stream of 148 feet, 1.4 inches.

—Crescent Commandry of the Golden Cross, which has been holding its meetings in Metcalf's studio during the summer will return to its former quarters, Oct. 10. The hall has been renovated and made very attractive. It has been leased by the A. O. United Workmen and will hereafter be known as the A. O. U. W. hall.

—At the Baptist church yesterday the annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Circle of the Boston North Association was held with sessions both morning and afternoon. A number of returned missionaries gave interesting accounts of the work being done in foreign lands.

—Geo. P. Ballard of Temple street sailed last Tuesday on the record breaker "Deutschland" for Paris, via Cherbourg, where he will join Mrs. Ballard and Miss Marion Ballard. Mrs. Ballard and her daughter have been traveling through Austria, Hungary and Bavaria and have just reached Paris, where Miss Ballard is to study for the next year. Mr. and Mrs. Ballard after visiting the exposition will travel through Switzerland and Southern Italy, and sail for home on the "Commonwealth" about Nov. 1st.

## B. &amp; A. R. R.

A meeting of the stockholders of the B. & A. R. R. was held Wednesday to approve the proposed lease of the road to the New York Central & H. R. R. R. It is rumored that the meeting of the latter road will be held about Nov. 8 and that they will take possession about Nov. 17. The present employees will be retained and no radical changes are anticipated.

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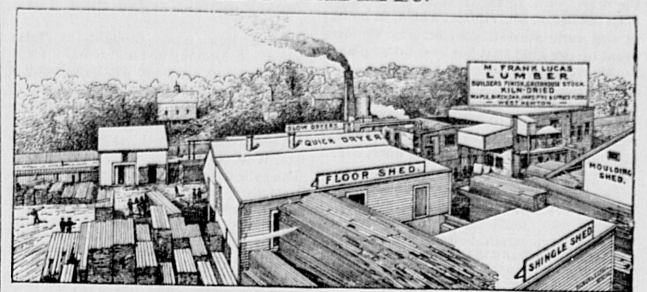
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## Literary Notes.

The October Atlantic. Ex-United States Minister James B. Angell opens the October Atlantic with an illuminating article on "The Crisis in China," dealing with the nature and history of Chinese government and the things to be demanded and avoided by us. Charles H. Moore contributes a sympathetic and instructive paper on Russia as an Art Critic. J. Taylor Wood gives a thrilling account of an old time episode, "The Capture of an African Slave by a United States Brig," and relates the subsequent fate of the human cargo. Dean Briggs of Harvard University presents in his trenchant fashion some Old Fashioned Doubts of our New Fashioned Education. The title indicates the writer's line of thought, and the paper richly rewards reading and study. Canon Rawnsley travels backward more than six thousand years in his The Finding of the First Dynasty Kings, and incidentally shows the changes that the discovery involves in accepted Greek history. A series of letters written by the late James Martineau during the last thirty years of his life, beginning in the midst of our civil war, will especially attract his admirers, and is of unusual interest to American readers. In The Seven Lean Years, "Referer" relates pointedly the unlucky past history of Western farms and Eastern investors. John Christie sends a paper on the discovery in that far off land, and the debt it owes to America. Kate H. Claghorn discusses our Immigrants and ourselves, believing that the work of assimilation goes on steadily, and is promptly and thoroughly

accomplished. Martha B. Dunn presents some delightful Piazza Philosophy, and Ada Sterling makes an earnest plea for American Needlecraft, thereby meaning systematic instruction in hand-lace making. Edward Stanwood argues eloquently for Voting by Mail as a radical solution of one of our present ballot troubles. Attractive fiction by Mrs. Foote, Mary T. Earle, Chas. Warren, and others, poems by Anna H. Branch, Paul L. Dunbar, J. C. R. Dor, etc., and the Contributors' Club of an unusual variety and merit, make up a notable number.

The Saturday Evening Post for September 23, is a special double number. The plan of The Saturday Evening Post is to give each week a magazine of the best current literature that will be equal in literary quality and illustrations to the monthlies. The cover of this double number is by Gibbs, and is in color. The opening feature is the first installment of Gilbert Parker's new serial, "The Lane that Had no Turnings." The who have read this story pronounce it the strongest work that Mr. Parker has yet done. United States Senator Albert J. Beveridge, of Indiana, has been a guest on "Facing the World," in which he marshals an imposing array of successes after the half century mark had been passed. Major James B. Hall, contributing two pages of reminiscences of Mark Twain giving for the first time letters and anecdotes referring to his last lecture tour across the American continent. The short fiction of the number includes a novel story by Ian MacLaren, Lillian Quiller-Couch, Gertrude F. Lynch and Mageline Bridges. Honorable Champ Clark has a lively article on "Stumping in Old Missouri." There are installments of Mooswa of the Boundary, W. A. Frazer's animal story, and of "The Eagle's Heart," Hamlin Garland's novel of the far West. On the page devoted to men and women are stories of people prominent in the public eye. The editorial page treats of politics, the census, and other current themes. The "Public Occurrences" department tells through coal and gold of the United States has captured the supremacy of the world. Besides these attractions there are articles giving the latest scientific discoveries, Secretary Wilson's views of our business, and a story of the Men, with new stories and anecdotes; the latest gossip about books and literary people, and short articles and sketches.

The last number of "Sound Currency," which is a 32-page pamphlet under the title "The World's Currency," is a very useful compilation of information in regard to the currency systems of the various countries in the world. The publication is one likely to be very useful for reference in the currency discussion of the pending campaign. It can be obtained for five cents from the Reform Club, 32 William Street, New York.

A score of writers and artists contribute to the October Ladies' Home Journal, and the issue is one of commanding excellence. The number opens with "The Story of a Young Man," which, portraying Jesus as a man, and viewing him in the light of his humanity, fills a unique and unoccupied space in current literature. The first of "A Story of Beautiful Women" tells of the romance of an American girl who married a Bonaparte, and a series of stirring adventures are narrated in the first of the "Blue River Bear Stories," by the author of "When Knighthood was in Flower." Mrs. Elizabeth Stuart Phelps's new novel, The Successors of the Sea, which has to do with domestic and suburban life, and is exceedingly funny, is begun in the October Journal. Edward Bok arranges the Pullman Palace Car Company for the first time in current literature. The first of the special features of interest are: "The Longings of a Secluded Girl," "A Minister Among the Cowboys," "Romances of Some Southern Homes," "How We Can Live Simply," and "Criticizing the Clothes of the Minister's Family." "A Georgian House for \$7000" and "A Farmhouse for \$3500" are given, with building plans and details, and "A Successful Country Home" pictures the exterior and interior of a house of log construction. By The Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia. One dollar a year; ten cents a copy.

## SCRIBNER'S FOR OCTOBER, 1900.

A very notable and timely project is begun in the October number of Scribner's Magazine. There is no factor in the Far East of greater importance than Russia, and just at this time the series of seven papers on "Russia of Today," by Henry Norman, will attract the widest attention. The whole series, from the present article on "The Two Capitals" (including a remarkable visit to Tolstoy), to the final papers on the political aspect of affairs, will be the most illuminating literature on the present crisis in the world's politics. The articles will be very richly illustrated from the author's photographs and from other sources. Richard Harding Davis closes his series of vivid descriptions of the Boer War with an account of "The Last Days of Pretoria," showing the final steps in the Boer retreat. The late Major-General Jacob D. Cox read and finally read his article on "The Sherman-Johnston Convention" a few days before his death. It therefore stands as the final expression of a great military critic on a long-disputed point of General Sherman's campaign. Walter A. Wyckoff, author of "The Workers," concludes his experiences in the Arctic John R. Spear's papers, The Slave-trade in America, are concluded with an account of the final and the most horrible traffic. The fiction of the number includes a story of a convict settlement, by Lloyd Osbourne, the story of Stevenson, a New Englander, by Arthur Colton, and the last installment but one of "Tommy and Grizel." Poems, the "Point of View," and a discussion on "Architectural Style" conclude the number.

## BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

BOSTON THEATRE.—James O'Neill has now entered upon the second week of his engagement at the Boston Theatre, in the gigantic production of Monte Cristo. Lieber & Co., made great promises before the production of the engaging play, and it is only justice to state that for once a theatrical firm has kept its promises, and every word that has been printed in advance about the production is applicable to it now after the public has passed its verdict. The large lobby of the Boston Theatre is crowded every day, presenting the appearance of the entrance to some big circus tent, with this difference,—this while the circus tents are only seen around a circus the day it is in town, this unusual scene of activity prevails in the Boston Theatre lobby every day. Monte Cristo theatre parties are being formed all over New England, and during the whole history of the play there has never been any such desire to witness it as is now being manifested by every theatre-goer, be he man or woman. When Mr. O'Neill stands on the rock, exclaiming, "The World is Mine!" it seems as if he might apply the words of Edmund Dantre to his own present position. Boston and New England, at least, have capitulated to him, and there is hardly any doubt that New York will do the same and have appeared there at the Academy of Music on Oct. 22. The company that Lieber & Co. have surrounded him with has been pronounced excellent by every newspaper in Boston. The mounting of Monte Cristo is simply the talk of the town, and it is a hard choice for the spectator to decide which one of the five acts is the most elaborate and the most pleasing. The beautiful golden effect in the Hotel de Moreer in the Fourth Act is brilliantly contrasted with the silver aspect of the snow scene in the fifth act, making this production of Monte Cristo what one might term a bi-metallic spectacle, gold and silver.

PARK THEATRE.—It is an atmospheric play that The Choir Invisible will have its chief charm to literary lovers of the drama, when it is produced in October at the Theatre, Boston. Not that it will be without its quota of interesting charac-

ters, or that it is lacking in heart interest nor in other features which go to make up a successful stage romance, but the adapter of Jane Lane Allen's story, Miss Frances Hastings, has so carefully planned the production and her ideas have been so successfully carried out by the producing managers, Lieber & Company, that one feels in far away Kentucky in the post-Revolutionary era, so perfect is the illusion. To obtain this result the artistic capabilities of many scene painters, the experience of electricians, the skill of mechanics and the hand of the producer have combined. Readers of the book have enjoyed the school children's pranks as they barricaded the school house against their teacher, John Gray, might not enter. They have suffered the pangs of pain as did Gray in his terrible struggle with the panther. They too, have fought his battle with O'Hannon, the roystering Irish, and they have seen the agony that he has suffered the same feelings of anguish as did the school master in his love for Jessi a Falconer, the wife of Major Falconer. And all of this because of the wonderful picture painting of the book's author, Jane Lane Allen. Never did a worthy author's worthy effort lend itself more easily to adaptation, and never did an author have fewer dramatics taken with his cherished writings as Miss Hastings has taken with The Choir Invisible manuscript, all of which would tend to show that the adapter has done his duty. It is a very prominent feature of the play, Mr. Henry Jewett, whose sterling worth is appreciated in England and Australia as well as in America, is to enact John Gray. He will give the role of the Irish schoolmaster, and will look the part of the Scotch Irish Kentucky schoolmaster just as well as he will play it.

BOSTON MUSEUM.—The fifth annual engagement of Wilson Barrett's stirring Irish play, The Cross, will begin Monday, October 15th. This unique and wonderfully successful play, which has made such a professional impression among the priests and clergymen of Europe and America as well as among regular theatre-goers, will, as on former occasions, be interpreted by Charles Dalton and Wm. Green's splendid company of English actors from the Lyric Theatre. While the play treats of a strong lesson and shows in a graphic and impressive manner the influence of Christianity upon a powerful pagan nation, it is so full of thrilling scenes and incidents and so gorgeously staged that it charms all lovers of a powerful and engrossing play and a magnificent stage spectacle. There will be matinees Wednesday and Saturday.

BOSTON MUSIC HALL.—The attractions of the Music Hall this week include such talented and amusing artists as Etta Butler, a very clever mimic, who imitates stage celebrities; Maggie Cline, the Irish Queen, with her lively songs with Celtic flavor; and the original Yiddish comedian, the only man imitating Hebrew characters, who acts out the parts of Montrell, a noted European jester, and a host of other high salaried and high class entertainers. Large audiences this past week have laughed at and applauded the efforts of these artists, and the Music Hall, Wednesday evening and Thursday, Oct. 17 and 18.

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## Whist.

In the articles on whist which will appear in these columns from time to time, it is assumed that the reader understands what might be called the frame work of the game, being such matters as the number of players, the number of cards, the trump suit, the taking of tricks, and the method of scoring. These things can be easily learned from the numerous text-books which are now published on the game, and the writer will simply give such suggestions as to the best methods of play as have been found to be of value, from several years experience.

In the first place, the student must become thoroughly imbued with the idea that he has a partner, and that the best results can only be obtained by a complete understanding as to the value of the cards held by each. This principle is the basis upon which all so called "systems" rest, and is fundamental to harmonious action. Far too many players, and good players, too, forget this principle and play what is called a "lone hand," with certain failure sooner or later as the result.

The best known of the various systems devised to show partner what one holds, is the Cavendish, or a modification of the same made by Mr. N. B. Trist of New Orleans, and known as the "American lead," and which we will use as the foundation of these articles.

The object of whist is to take tricks, and to do this the player must make use of the several suits, or by the exhaustion of opponents' trumps and the establishment of the small cards of plain suits. For this purpose, it is deemed wise to always lead from the suit containing the largest number of cards regardless of their numerical value. This is called the conservative or long suit game, and is opposed by the more radical or short suit players. The long suit invariably leads from his longest suit, irrespective of its value, the card to lead being determined by the number held in the suit. This partner is to lead the suit, and the other immediately or in the second round as to the number held, and is therefore enabled to "count the hand," that is, to estimate with a reasonable degree of accuracy the number of cards held in the other suits. For instance, if partner shows a suit of five cards, there are but eight other cards to be distributed among the other three suits, and by a careful watch of a round or two of the other suits one can easily determine the holdings in each.

The high card leads are the most important, as their trick winning value is immediately apparent, and leads are but preliminary to trick taking.

The high card leads are from the ace, king, queen, jack, and ten, and may be roughly stated to indicate number as follows:—The ace shows five or more, with one exception: the king invariably shows four; the queen at least five cards in suit; the jack, queen, and ten may be either four or more. It should be borne in mind that high cards are not usually led unless in sequence with each other or the ace lead from ace and king appears there, therefore the lead of a king would show either the ace or queen, possibly both and four cards in the suit; the queen lead indicates the king and at least five cards in suit; the jack, queen, and ten lead will show the jack, queen, and four or more in suit.

The following list of plain suit leads is the most important, and the necessary opening leads for a player to learn as a foundation upon which to construct sound, long suit methods of play:—

- 1 Ace and five or more others, including, it may be, queen or knave.
- 2 Ace and four others (including, as above) whenever a six slotted is held in a second value suit.

- 3 Ace, king and three or more others, including, it may be, the knave.
- 4 Ace, queen, knave and one or more lower.

- King, from—
- 1 Ace, king and two lower.
- 2 King, queen and two lower.

- Queen, from—
- 1 Ace, king, queen and two or more lower.
- 2 King, queen and three or more lower, without the knave.

- Knave, from—
- 1 King, queen, knave and two or more lower.
- 2 Knave, 10, 9 and one lower.

- 10, from—
- 1 Queen, knave, 10 and one or more lower.
- 2 10, 9, 8 and one lower.

- 9, from—
- 1 9, 8, 7 and one lower.
- 2 A note, below.
- 8, from—
- 1 8, 7, 6 and one lower.

- 7, from—
- 1 7, 6, 5 and one lower.
- 2 6, 5, 4 and one lower.
- 3, from—
- 1 5, 4, 3 and 2.

Note.—An original lead any card from the 9 down to the 3 is either the top of a sequence, with at least three cards in the sequence, or is fourth-best of the suit. If the former, a suit of not over four cards is declared. Moreover, knave or 10 as top of a sequence declares exactly four cards in suit.

From all other combinations fourth-best is led.

The fall whist season of the N. E. W. A. was opened last Saturday, when H. H. Ward and L. M. Bouve of the American Whist Club successfully defended the Duplicate Pair trophy by defeating W. E. Hickox and J. C. Brimblecom of the Mass. Whist Club by three tricks. Capt. Ward is quoted as saying that his opponents were "a tough proposition." The American Whist Club retain possession of the Robin son trophy for teams of four by defeating the Mt. Woodwin Club, the same evening, by seven tricks. C. F. Gilman, H. H. Ward, C. O. Danforth, and E. C. Fletcher representing the American Club, and Messrs. A. E. Pennell, J. T. Slade, C. E. Whitman, Jr., and G. H. Berg played for Mt. Woodwin.

Mass. State Federation of Women's Clubs. By invitation of the Woman's Club of Amherst, the Mass. State Federation will meet in the Town Hall, Amherst, Wednesday evening and Thursday, Oct. 17 and 18.

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Thursday, Oct. 18, Morning Session. Address: The Development and Significance of Recreation. Dr. King's Mary K. Sinkovitch of the Friendly Aid Settlement, New York. Luncheon.

The olive colored Federation ticket will be necessary for admission to the meetings. Members of the Social Club Club wishing luncheon tickets at 25 cents must notify the Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. F. Bothfield, 118 Church Street, Newton, before Oct. 15th. Full information as to trains, fares, hotels, etc., may also be obtained from the Cor. Sec., 21

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—William Hahn has returned from the White Mountains.  
—H. L. Jones returned Wednesday to his home on Monmouth road.  
—Mrs. Henry Bally of Beacon street is visiting in Nashua, N. H.  
—Miss E. E. Hood of Centre street is visiting friends in West Gardner.  
—Hon. H. E. Washburn is a guest at the Pelham house on Pelham street.  
—Mr. Peasman Hinkley and wife have moved from Paul street to Eliot.  
—E. E. Strout and family of Warren street are removing to Newbury terrace.  
—Mr. W. C. Newall and wife of Willow terrace have returned from Midway.  
—Miss Nellie M. Taylor of Ripley terrace returned Monday from North Scituate.  
—Matthew Morris and family of Newbury terrace are removing to Roxbury.  
—Mrs. J. W. Barrows of Beacon street is visiting friends in West Chester, Penn.  
—P. Hinkley of Paul street has moved to Plymouth street, Newton Highlands.  
—Mrs. Mary A. Edmond of Pleasant street has returned from New London, N. H.  
—Henry H. Dodge and family of Orient avenue returned Saturday from Kennerly.  
—E. Warren Foote of Grafton street has returned from a shooting trip on the Cape.  
—Rev. Mr. Richardson has returned to Chatham after a visit to friends on Pelham street.  
—Mrs. Spofford, who has been visiting friends here, has returned to her home in Haverhill.  
—Miss Lena Twombly of Crescent avenue has returned from a several months' tour of Europe.  
—Mr. G. F. Evans and wife of Centre street are back from a summer's sojourn at North Conway.  
—Capt. and Mrs. John Pratt of Nova Scotia are guests of Mr. Morris Armstrong of Pleasant street.  
—Isaac W. Fountain, who has been at the Newton hospital for some weeks, is reported more seriously ill.  
—Albert Hahn and Carl Blaisdell returned this week from an extended canoe trip on the Charles river.  
—Mr. M. C. Skilton and wife and Miss Skilton of Chestnut terrace have returned from the White Mountains.  
—Mrs. J. Albert Cole, who has been seriously ill at her home on Langley road, is reported improving in health.  
—George Simms and family of Eastbourne road have returned from Vermont, where they spent the summer.  
—J. J. Walworth of Centre street has entered the invitation handicap tournament of the Salem Golf Club.  
—A. W. Bartholomew, who is the guest of his parents on Centre street, returns this week to his home in Providence.  
—Mr. Gustavus Forbes and wife and Mrs. Bertha Forbes of Cypress street have returned from New London, N. H.  
—Mr. Charles H. Ireland and wife of Ward street return this week from a trip through the White Mountain region.  
—Arthur Washburn of Knowles street is on a vacation trip to Albany, down the Hudson to Saratoga and New York.  
—Mr. Irving Corson and wife are at Mrs. Corson's home on Ripley street.  
—Col. Isaac F. Kingsbury, trustee, has transferred to Ida E. Brigham about 900 feet of land located on Lawrence road.  
—Edgar Clifford Potter announces his engagement to Miss Alice Rix Taylor, daughter of Mrs. F. W. Taylor of Buffalo, N. Y.  
—Mrs. Robert Brown, who has been the guest of friends on Langley road, returns this week to her home in Londonderry, N. H.  
—Mrs. G. H. Green, who has been spending the summer in the George A. Pierce house, Centre street, has returned to Boston.  
—Rev. Dr. George M. Boynton will be in charge of the recently organized normal class, the sessions to be held at the First church on Sundays.  
—A game of football will be played Wednesday, Oct. 3rd, at Lewiston, Me., between the Newton Theological Institution team and the Bates College eleven.  
—Don't fail to attend Rev. Mr. Bronson's illustrated lecture on his personal experiences through Ireland and Norway at Newton M. E. church next Wednesday night.  
—Last evening a men's social was held in the channel of the First Baptist church. Refreshments were served. A number of the students from The Newton Theological Institution were present.  
—The first meeting of the season of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society was held in the First Baptist church parlor on Tuesday afternoon. The topic was "Woman's Work in Foreign Missions."  
—At the Unitarian church on Sunday Rev. C. W. Wendte will preach at 10:30 a. m. The subject, "The Gospels of Life." Miss Alice M. Rice will sing "Salve Regina," by Dudley Buck. "Abide with Me," by S. Liddle. Miss Sara Malle, organist.  
—The anniversary of the dedication of the Church of the Sacred Heart will be celebrated on Sunday, Oct. 7. Solemn high mass will be celebrated at 10:30 o'clock and preaching by Rev. Dr. O'Callaghan of South Boston. The church will be illuminated in the evening.  
—Rev. E. M. Noyes will be the college preacher at Wellesley next Sunday morning. In his absence the pulpit of the First church will be occupied at the morning service by Rev. J. L. Patton, D. D., secretary of the American Board. Rev. Mr. Noyes will preach in the evening.  
—William Cushing Loring of Beacon street has closed his Boston studio and will sail for Europe on Wednesday, Oct. 3, to study. He will settle in London for some time. Some of the persons whose portraits Mr. Loring has painted recently are: Rear Admiral W. T. Sampson, Rev. E. A. Horton, the late Mr. Gammons, and Mrs. S. B. Permain and daughter.  
—A largely attended union meeting was held at the Congregational church last Sunday evening. Mr. Herbert J. Kellaway, who was a delegate to the convention of the World's Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor held recently in London, gave an interesting description of the sessions, the speakers and their subjects and general impressions he received during his trip.  
—The ladies of the First Baptist church are soon to issue a handsome souvenir of the "Mothers' Rest," which was successfully carried on at Waban during the past summer. The book is to be printed on enameled paper and illustrated with half-tone cuts. The different phases of the work of "Mother's Rest" will be presented in the hope of arousing more general interest and the enlarging of its field in the coming summer.

#### NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Mrs. Havens has returned from a stay at Southport, Me.  
—The Hilton family are now home again from their summer outing.  
—Mr. C. M. Wheaton has taken a new house on Bradford road, Eliot terrace.  
—Dharma Branch T. S., will resume its weekly meetings on Tuesday evening, Oct. 23.  
—Mr. W. S. Barbeck of Bowdoin street and family are home from their summer absence.  
—Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Trickey of Eliot a back again from their stay at a month at North Scituate.  
—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin of Hartford street have returned from an absence of two weeks.  
—Mr. E. B. Sampson and family of Lake avenue, have arrived home from a summer stay at Cotuit.  
—Mr. G. E. French of Eliot has let a new house belonging to him on Dickerman road to Mr. Bouve.  
—The Monday Club will hold its first fall meeting at the home of Mrs. Walker on Hillside road, Oct. 1st.  
—Mr. D. R. Leetaw from Hingham has leased the house on Fisher avenue, formerly occupied by Mr. Edson.  
—Mr. James Simpson and family, who have been spending the summer at the r Wrentham residence, have returned.  
—Rev. O. S. Davis of Newtonville will occupy the pulpit at the Congregational church next Sunday evening at 7:30.  
—Mrs. E. N. Dingley and children, who have been visiting Mrs. H. C. Robinson, will leave Oct. 1, for their home in the West.  
—Arthur J. Sweetzer, who has been visiting his mother on Griffin avenue, has returned to his home in Somersworth, N. H.  
—Next Sunday will be Rally Sunday at the Congregational Sunday school. Special music will be provided in addition to other exercises.  
—Mr. A. A. Sherman, the grocer, who has been confined to his house for many weeks, expects to be able to give some attention to business in a few days.  
—Greenwood's real estate agency has made a sale of a lot of land on Oak terrace, off Montfort road, to a resident of the Highlands, whose name will be given later.  
—Don't fail to attend Rev. Mr. Bronson's illustrated lecture on his personal experiences through Ireland and Norway at Newton M. E. church next Wednesday night.  
—The Hayward Memorial Club will hold its first meeting for the season at the Congregational chapel, next Monday evening. All the members of the club are desired to be present.  
—The cradle roll connected with the Congregational society, held their annual meeting at the chapel last Saturday afternoon, and there was a large attendance. Refreshments were served.  
—The first meeting for the season of the Shakespeare Club will be with Mrs. Eaton. The officers of the club are: Pres., Mrs. Eaton; vice pres., Mrs. Estabrook; treas., Mrs. Hot; sec'y, Mrs. Thompson.  
—Mr. Perkins, who has purchased the Worcester estate on Lake avenue, and Mrs. Hayward of Centre street, are having their houses repaired and painted, and the Bisco residence on Lake avenue is also having a coat of paint.  
—Mr. W. H. Seaver of Hartford street has taken a house in New Haven. Mrs. Nelson has leased her house to Mr. Foss of Eliot terrace, and has moved her household goods to New Haven, where she will continue as housekeeper for Mr. Seaver.  
—Old Folks' Day will be observed by the Oak Hill Bible School next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The old folks will speak on interesting subjects of fifty years or more ago. The school will sing the favorite songs of ye olden time. A cordial invitation is extended to all, especially the old folks, through Mr. F. W. Emerson, superintendent of the school.  
—The C. L. S. C. will meet next Monday with Miss Bacall, Forest street. The work of the club for the year is to be with a study of Scotland. At the business meeting at Mrs. Richards, Sept. 24, the following officers were chosen: President, Miss Adelaide B. Webster; vice president, Mrs. George A. Moore; sec'y, Mrs. Warren White; treas., Miss M. E. Hyde.  
—The annual meeting of the church aid and missionary society of the Congregational church was held on Wednesday at the chapel, and the officers elected are as follows: President, Mrs. Ellen A. Havens; vice president, Mrs. Martha J. Boyd; sec'y and treasurer, Mrs. Abbie S. May; home mission department—chairman, Mrs. Emily M. White; sec'y, Mrs. Stella Thompson; treasurer, Mrs. Ellen A. Eagle; directresses, Mrs. Hardwick, Mrs. Beck, Mrs. Lapham, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Pollard, Mrs. Luitwiler; foreign mission department—chairman, Mrs. M. J. Guild; sec'y, Mrs. Marion Morse; treasurer, Mrs. Sarah J. Hayward; church aid department—chairman, Miss Abby L. Sweetser; sec'y, Mrs. Ada B. Packham; treasurer, Mrs. Amelia A. Wood; assistants, Mrs. Logan, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Mellen, Mrs. Ball, Mrs. Robbins; cradle roll—sec'y and treasurer, Mrs. King; assistants, Mrs. Jones, Miss Morse, and Miss Mellen; auditor, Mrs. Mellen.  
**Campaign Echoes.**  
—"Let us strive to make the conditions of life such that as nearly as possible each man shall receive the share to which he is honestly entitled and no more, and let us remember at the same time that our efforts must be to build up rather than to strike down, and that we can best help ourselves, not at the expense of others, but by heartily working with them for the common good of each and all."—Governor Roosevelt.  
—"I love liberty, I love equality, and I love justice, and when the party to which I belong is too cowardly to make a stand for the right, I leave it for good. Given the choice between McKinley and Roosevelt, upon the one hand, and Bryan and Stevenson and the unpatriotic Kansas City and Chicago platforms, upon the other, I shall without hesitation record my vote on election day for William McKinley and for Theodore Roosevelt, whose name and fame are dear to every soldier of the Spanish-American war and every citizen of the United States who venerates courageous incorruptible American manhood."—Captain William E. English of Indiana.  
—"I want a government that gives every poor man the hope of becoming rich some day," says Bryan. That is the kind of a government he has always lived under, and personally he illustrates American opportunistic. As for getting rich by cutting the value of the dollar, that is a joke.—Milford Journal.  
—Following is the schedule of wages per hour in Lyons, France, at the present time, as furnished by United States Consul Covert: Carpenters, 13¢; masons, 12¢; locksmiths, 11¢; plasterers and painters, 12¢; plumbers, 11 to 12¢; stone cutters, 11 to 12¢; chimney builders, 11 to 12¢; layers of mosaic paving, 12¢; laborers, 9¢.

#### JUDGING BY EXPERIENCE.

Some Figures Right Here in Massachusetts of Interest to Voters.

During recent years a number of the states have published from year to year from their bureau of labor statistics, information showing the number of persons employed in leading industries, the total wages paid employees and the value of products, etc. In every case where these facts have been published for a sufficiently long time, they show a marked difference between the years of Democratic and those of the Republican administration. In the years of Democratic administration a decided falling off was experienced in business activity, in the number of persons employed, total wages paid, etc.; while during the Republican administrations of Harrison and McKinley there were increases all along the line. The most complete statistics that have been published are those experienced by the state of Massachusetts. During the four years from 1887 to 1892 (Harrison administration) there was a total increase in Massachusetts of \$73,941,880 in the value of the product, \$18,244,474 in the total wages paid, and 27,363 in the number of persons employed in the establishments reporting for those years. It was quite a different story under the next four years of Cleveland's administration, with its tariff reform and other Democratic shibboleths. Subtracting the increase of 1894 from the total increase during the other three years, there was a net decrease of \$96,916,006 in the value of products, \$4,085,252 in the total wages paid, and 16,687 in the number of persons employed. In 1897 and 1898, with McKinley's administration, came again years of prosperity. Once more the same increases are noted all along the line. During these two years, there was a total increase in Massachusetts of \$45,300,654 in the value of products, an increase of \$4,219,751 in the total wages paid, and of 14,215 in the number of persons employed. A study of these statistics, plain and homely as they are, ought to furnish an object lesson for the manufacturer, the merchant and laboring men, who are to cast their vote next November either to continue the Republican administration or to have another change. It is a true statement of an eminent statesman: "I know of no other way of judging the future but by the past," and applying this rule to the result of the Republican administration of Massachusetts, ought to convince the most sceptical voter who considers his future welfare in connection with his ballot.

#### Registration.

The most important work of the political committees of the state at the present time is the matter of registration. It should be the duty of every town committee to carefully compare the assessed list with the last published voting lists, and then use every effort to see that as many names as possible are added to the new voting lists as possible. The importance of this work cannot be underestimated. Here are a few important dates which should be carefully considered by every committee:

- Oct. 1. Last day assessment in Boston.
- Oct. 4. Evening registration opens in Boston in the several wards, from 6 p. m. to 10 p. m.
- Oct. 7. Last day for registrars of voters in every city and town, except Boston, to post in each voting precinct preliminary alphabetical lists of voters.
- Oct. 17. Last day for registration in all cities. Upon this day every registry of voters must be kept open from 12 o'clock noon (in Boston from 9 a. m.) until 10 p. m.
- Oct. 27. Registration in towns closes at 10 p. m.

#### Expansion.

There is a rank due to the United States among the nations of the world which will be withheld, if not absolutely lost, by the reputation for weakness.

—Washington.  
Having practiced the acquisition of territory for nearly 60 years, the question of constitutional power to do so is no longer an open one with us.—Lincoln.  
I am persuaded no constitution was ever before so well calculated as ours for extensive empire and self-government.—Thomas Jefferson.  
I tell you, increase and multiply and expand is the law of this nation's existence.—S. A. Douglas.

I now behold the great American eagle, with her Stars and Stripes, hovering over the Lone Star of Texas, with cheering voice welcoming it into our glorious Union.—Andrew Jackson.  
I do not share in the apprehension held by many as to the danger of governments becoming weakened and destroyed by reason of their extension of territory.—Grant.

Who is right, Mr. Bryan or The Fathers?  
**Campaign Notes.**  
The first week of October will be a very busy one in the Republican camp. The caucuses will be held Sept. 24 or Sept. 25, and four days later the conventions will begin. The 12 congressional caucuses must be held in an order of the state convention of Oct. 4, and probably several of the county, senatorial and councillor conventions will be held the same week. None of the representative conventions can be held before Oct. 10.

Registration will close at 10 p. m., Oct. 16, but don't delay until the last minute. Why not register today, and then see that your neighbor is registered. The Republican administration keeps its pledges to the soldiers. The expenditures for national homes and disabled volunteer soldiers since 1867 has been \$47,885,382. The appropriations for maintenance of soldiers' homes for the present fiscal year are \$2,510,450. To this is to be added clothing, salaries, incidentals and aid to state homes. The amount paid to army and navy pensions for the year was \$139,949,717.35.

Mr. George H. Ellis, an Anti-Imperialist, says: "I do not favor a third party ticket. I shall vote for Mr. McKinley because, while I haven't agreed with many things he has done, I believe he has given us a good administration. In choosing between him and Mr. Bryan, I have no hesitation in selecting Mr. McKinley as the proper candidate to support. I am not altogether satisfied with the president's Philippine policy, but I think that thus far he has handled the situation in China very well."

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## REGISTRATION OF VOTERS For Elections of 1900.



### City of Newton

State Election, Tuesday Nov. 6.  
City Election, Tuesday, Dec. 11.

Chapter 548, Acts 1898.

Notice is hereby given that for registering voters revising and correcting the Precinct Lists the Registrars of Voters, commencing Monday, October 1, 1900, will hold sessions at the City Clerk's office, City Hall, daily as follows: 8:30 A. M. to 12 o'clock M.; 2 to 5 o'clock P. M. except on Wednesday, October seventeenth, as hereinafter stated, and except Saturdays, when the hours are from 8:30 o'clock A. M. to 12 o'clock M.; also from 7:30 to 9 o'clock in the evening upon the following dates and at the places herein named:

- Newton Lower Falls—Freeman Hall, Monday, October 1.
- Nonantum—Nonantum Club House, Tuesday October 2.
- Newton—Armory Hall, Wednesday, October 3.
- Newton Upper Falls—Voting Booth, Petter street, Thursday, October 4.
- City Hall—Saturday, October 6.
- Auburndale—Taylor's Block, Monday, October 8.
- Newtonville—Room 8, Central Block, Tuesday, October 9.
- City Hall, Wednesday, October 10.
- Waban—Vaban Hall, Thursday, October 11.
- Chestnut Hill Club, Middlesex road, Friday, October 12.
- Newton Highlands—Stevens Hall, Saturday October 13, and at
- Newton Centre—Bray's Block, Tuesday, October 16 from 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock P. M.

Also at City Hall, Wednesday, October seventeenth, from 12 o'clock M. to 10 o'clock P. M., which is the last session preceding the Election, November sixth, and thereafter the Registrars will not, before the Election, add any names to the Register, except the names of voters examined as to their qualifications since the preceding thirtieth day of April."

Every male person whose name is not on the Voting List as posted must, in order to be registered as a voter, appear in person before the Registrars of Voters, at either of the sessions above mentioned, presenting a certificate from the assessors or tax bill or notice from the collector of taxes showing that he has been assessed for a poll tax as a resident of the city on the preceding first day of May.

All women whose names are not on the lists and who wish to register must appear in person before the Registrars of Voters, to be qualified as required by law.

All naturalized citizens must present their final papers when they register. If the father of an applicant was naturalized before he (the son) became 21 years of age the son is naturalized thereby, and must present the father's naturalization papers.

Every male citizen of 21 years of age and upwards, who has resided in the State one year, and in the City of Newton six calendar months next preceding the State Election, November 6, 1900, and who shall be able to read and write, shall have the right to vote at said State Election.

**GEORGE H. BOURNE,**  
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